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"Home of the Governors"

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1964 - A YEAR AT THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION

This is Morton High School — a red brick building filled each day with busy, hurrying teenagers. Its classrooms are small worlds where young minds are enriched and expanded. Its teachers are moderators in an exchange of ideas. Its 1800 students, called the Governors, seek to achieve the highest goals in life. Morton is not merely an address or a structure. It is a Mansion where knowledge and learning are stressed, where the noblest of human ideals are taught. Here at Morton each Governor plays an active part in building an idea — Morton High School is the Governors' Mansion.


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THE NATION'S FLAG, waving in the the wind in front of the school, greets Morton Governors, reminding them daily of the importance of America's democratic ideals.

MORTON'S "BEATLES," alias the Vi-Kings, donned wigs and entertained Beatle-style at the benefit assembly held by the Government Club for its orphan, Kim Chun Yung.

Activities at Morton

Morton High School has a unique personality, a warm and friendly glow created by its students. To the Governors, Morton is not an "institution." MHS is more like an idea, a frame of mind, or a way of life. Morton can be a greeting between two old friends, bustling basketball games or pep sessions. Morton is final exams overstuffed lockers, student campaigns, play rehearsals and hectic speech meets. Morton means building a Homecoming float, attending the Prom, visiting the nation's capitol, and becoming a part of "Beatle-mania." Morton is the laughter of Senior Week and a tearful graduation on a sunny June afternoon. All these things lend a sparkling personality to the Governors' school—an atmosphere that makes every year special, one worth living and reliving at the Governors' Mansion.

THE WASHINGTON MONUMENT, visited by upperclassmen in October on Morton's annual Washington trip, stands illuminated in the glow of spotlights after dark.

BUS TRIPS to away football games highlighted the fall at Morton. Here Judy Jenieske and Lynn Blackman help decorate the Booster Club bus to Fort Wayne.

Blend Into Mansion's Own Bright Personality

"OUR TEAM IS BACK," sing the senior girls at the annual pep session before the first football game. Upperclassmen presented skits to arouse school spirit for the upcoming season.

1964 WAS ALL THIS —

Morton Student Association Inagural Ceremonies

SWEARING IN his Cabinet, Willie Ruff performs one of his first duties as President of the Association. His Cabinet consisted of — Secretary of Justice Bob Van Gorp, Secretary of Student Employment Russ Barron, Secretary of Assemblies Ramona Crowe, Secretary of the Student Center Bob Mitchell, Secretary of the Treasury Fran Vintilla, Secretary of Safety Gary Dietrich.

1964 for the Student Association began with the traditional, stirring Inaugural Assembly, in which the main officers of the Association were sworn in alongside the Congress and Court.

Association President Willie Ruff was sworn into office by Principal W. Winston Becker at the inauguration held on November 22, 1963. After delivering his inaugural address, Willie administered the oath of office to Vice-President Ricky Tyler, Recorder Doreen Bianucci, and the Cabinet and Congress. Willie's Cabinet members then outlined their official goals in acceptance speeches. Bob Van Gorp, Chief Justice of the Student Court, swore in his judges and recorders. Finally, the entire student body repeated the Morton student's pledge led by the new president.

ACCEPTING the Top Hat and Tails, symbols of the dignity and importance of his office, Willie Ruff is congratulated by Principal Winston W. Becker.

Launched New Year at the Governors' Mansion

The Student Association's Inaugural Ball, **Moonglow,** was presented this year on November 28, 1963, at St. Michael's Hall in Hammond, in honor of the newly installed officers of Morton's student government.

First semi-formal dance of the year, the annual ball is open to all four classes. Given each year on Thanksgiving Eve, the affair is a highlight of the social season at Morton and offers students a chance to enjoy a relaxing evening while supporting their government.

The three Student Association officers greeted their guests for the ball at the door and then walked out onto the dance floor to lead off the traditional Association dance. The Cabinet, Court, and Congress also danced to the song reserved for Association members.

THANKSGIVING EVE couples danced to dreamy tunes at the Inaugural Ball in Hammond at St. Michael's Hall.

DANCE MUSIC provided by Tony Marterie and his band added to the enjoyment of the evening for all. The mellow tones of the trumpet filled the hall with an appropriately romantic atmosphere as couples relaxed on the sidelines at the Inaugural Ball.

Fine Arts Hold High Position at Morton;

SHAKING HIS FINGER at Barnaby (Don Jamison), **Babes in Toyland's** "executioner" Gonborgo (Ron Lohse) prepares for a customer — Barnaby's nephew.

"MY MONEY IS SAFE, where no one can find it," declares Mrs. Savage (Kris Tenkely) to Fairy Mae (Kitty Bjorklund) in **The Curious Savage.** (The money was in the stuffed bear on her lap.)

Strange things occurred in the three-act comedy, **The Curious Savage,** presented on November 1 and 2 under the direction of Mr. Donn Edwards. The play involved a certain Mrs. Savage in a series of events at the Cloisters Asylum. Mrs. Savage was committed to the Cloisters after she refused to reveal where she had hidden her bonds from her greedy children. Following a wild goose chase, her family found the bonds hidden in Mrs. Savage's huge teddy bear.

Through the efforts of the dramatics and musical departments, **Babes in Toyland** was presented on February 27-29. The story began as Barnaby, a wicked old miser, forced the beautiful Contrary Mary to consent to marry him. In desperation Mary ran away to Toyland with Barnaby's nephew Alan, whom she loved. Barnaby set out after them, intending to get rid of Alan once and for all. After a hot chase and many close calls, Alan and Mary triumphed over their pursuer.

"DID YOU TAKE THE BONDS?" asks Dr. Emmett (Charley Thompson) of Mrs. Paddy (Lu Czarnecki), who ignores his plea. Titus Savage (Harry Shock) urges her to reveal the whereabouts of Mrs. Savage's hidden money. Pat Spudic and Don Jamison watch anxiously.

Plays and Musical Received Praise of Governors

THE MASTER TOYMAKER (Jim Clauson) kneels among the Piper children and welcomes them to the joys of the famous Toyland.

Shakespeare's **The Taming of the Shrew** was presented by the Morton Drama Department on May 1 and 2, 1964, to commemorate the 400th Anniversary of Shakespeare's Birth.

The story of the play centered on Katherina, the foul-tempered daughter of Baptista, a gentleman of Padua, Italy. Katherina, commonly known as the "Shrew," was notoriously independent. Kate's younger sister decreed their father could not be wooed or wed until Katherina had found a mate. Sweet Bianca's many suitors were desperate for someone to marry the undesirable Kate, but no one could be found. Finally, the boisterous, carefree Petruchio appeared. In the market for a rich wife, he promptly agreed to marry Kate "sight unseen." Kate objected fiercely to being "sold" like a commodity, but her arguments were of no avail; she was to be wed as soon as possible. Her groom, however, arrived at the wedding in rags, and began his campaign to "tame" his shrew. She finally fell in love and settled down, properly "tamed."

FITTING COSTUMES for the spring play, Shakespeare's **Taming of the Shrew**, are Nancy Chamberlain, Linda Herring, and Don Irvin.

As Grads Arrived for Homecoming, Morton Presented

SENIOR CLASS members, waiting for the parade to begin, review the last hectic week before Homecoming. The theme for the senior float was "Excruciate those Warriors," in "honor" of Bishop Noll's football team.

REIGNING AT THE HOMECOMING dance was a thrilling occasion for seven Morton senior girls. The Court consisted of Micki McGinnis, Karen Shanta, Ramona Crowe, Queen Doreen Bianucci, Jeanette Bundy, Francene Vintilla, and Barbara Gallimore.

Traditional Bonfire, Parade, Crowning of Queen

To begin Homecoming activities for 1963, the Morton Governors held an assembly to introduce the queen candidates to the student body. The annual Thursday night bonfire sparked some of that "ol' Morton spirit."

Weeks beforehand Morton juniors and seniors began building floats to represent their classes in the Homecoming parade. The B-team and Varsity cheerleaders also made a float for the parade. Queen candidates rode to Hammond High field accompanied by other Morton students in brightly "streamered" cars. The Queen, Doreen Bianucci, and her court were honored at the Homecoming dance held at the National Guard Armory after the game where the Vikings entertained.

ADDING FINAL TOUCHES to the junior float are members of the junior class. Juniors and seniors worked weeks before Homecoming planning for the "big night."

HOMECOMING EVE Governors lit the traditional bonfire behind the school. A blazing fire set the stage for lively cheers, skits, and a dance on the blacktop.

Governors Work Together to Present Entertaining

PERFORMING WITH THEIR MELODIOUS BELLS in assembly are the Spartan Bell Ringers from Michigan State University. The group played a number of classical, folk, and popular tunes with their 49 handbells, each member controlling up to 13 bells at one time.

Water pistols, bell-ringers, debaters, and choral groups all had parts in Morton's 1964 assembly schedule. Fall pep assemblies, featuring cheers, skits and a pep band, loudly proclaimed Morton's loyalty to its team. The annual Dress-Right Assembly, held in October, exemplified correct attire for high school students by contrasting proper dress with improper dress. The Kim Chun Yung assembly, sponsored by the Government Club, raised funds for Morton's orphan. Students "forcibly" collected offerings from the audience, using verbal "lashings" and water pistols.

The Inaugural and the State of the Association Assemblies informed students of congressional affairs. For Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter, the music department presented holiday programs. Not only for purposes of education and entertainment, assemblies gave Governors an opportunity to work together for the construction and organization of programs for the student body.

DEBATING whether the sale of cigarettes should be made illegal are varsity debaters Helen Holsclaw and Bob Mitchell. This assembly was a practice for the debate team's appearance on the CBS show "Rebuttal."

and Educational Assemblies for Student Body

THE DRESS-RIGHT ASSEMBLY featured students modeling both the correct and incorrect attire for sports, school, and church. Proper dress for Morton's formal and semi-formal events was shown to the students in the auditorium.

SINGING AT THE EASTER ASSEMBLY is the Morton choir. The entire music department participated in many of the musical assemblies during the school year.

POSING AS KIM CHUN YUNG, Larry Lessie arrives from Korea to join the fun at the assembly held to raise money for his support. Escorting him on stage is his "nurse," Tom Hopman, who "takes care" of Kim.

THE CAPITOL building, home of our federal legislature, was an impressive sight for Governors.

IWO JIMA MEMORIAL, honoring America's soldiers, was visited by traveling Governors.

LINCOLN MEMORIAL, world-famous for its statue of Lincoln, was one of many stops.

Washington Trip Granted Governors A Recess From

Fascinating Greenwich Village, turbulent Chinatown, and the world-famous Bowery were included in the sights visited by 365 Hammond students on this year's New York-Washington Trip.

Setting out on Tuesday night, October 22, students eagerly anticipated the seven-day tour. Wednesday evening the train arrived in New Jersey where excited teenagers disembarked and piled into the waiting buses that would take them to their hotel near New York's Times Square.

Thursday and Friday, students visited the Empire State Building, Rockefeller Center, Radio City Music Hall, and United Nations Building. Friday evening saw the end of the stay in New York as the "trippers" left by train for Washington, D.C.

In Washington students got a first-hand view of the various government buildings and historical monuments. Tours of the White House, Capitol Building, and Arlington National Cemetery highlighted their stay in the capital city of the nation.

During a busy Sunday students began to realize that their vacation was rapidly coming to an end. Returning home on the train that night, students slept or chatted, feeling almost exhausted after their seven hectic days.

THE U.N. BUILDING, the center of international affairs and a symbol of world peace, was toured by Morton students in New York this fall during the annual Washington Trip.

WAITING PATIENTLY to see their counselor, these students typify Governors at the beginning of each semester, when schedules often must be changed at the last moment.

"DON'T BE GREEDY," Nancy Creekmore seems to be saying to hunrgy Governors Bob Zimmerman and Kenny Bocken at a bake sale as the boys divide "the spoils of war."

Daily Homework, Clockwatching, and Standing in Line

School days at Morton in 1964 were not spent entirely in the classroom. Governors gave much of their time to the everyday rat race of high school existence. Mad dashes against the clock often resulted in tardiness and standing in line in the office for an admit. Governors found themselves in many other lines, too — at the bookstore, cafeteria, and counselors' offices.

Organizations involved many Governors in extra-curricular activities, even though staggered student schedules made it difficult for many to attend meetings after eighth hour.

Bake sales, a popular means of raising money, were numerous and welcome. As students left the building, they could purchase cookies or cake to nibble on the way home.

All in all, the school year was a well-rounded one at Morton — in school and out.

DEMONSTRATING the proper technique for opening lockers, senior Tom Hopman gives his locker a "love pat." Frosh Jim Pruitt and Linda Sorbello watch for pointers.

A PAUSE from the dance floor at the Winter Formal for some icy punch provides Micki McGinnis, Toni Oros, Rich Love, Jeanne Rose, and Jay Summers with a moment to relax and socialize.

Welcome Change In Pace Found For Students

RELAXING for a few moments, Ralph Rhodes, Kris Houser, Bob Mitchell, and Paula Rosenau sit around decorated tables, talking and enjoying their refreshments at this year's Winter Formal.

ARRIVING at St. John's Panel Room, Linda Munro, George Bewley, Alice Reichardt and Terry Mears check their coats, anticipating a delightful evening.

GATHERED AROUND the band box, Prom couples participate in the delightful entertainment provided by the Pat DeMure Band.

Attending the Winter Formal, Junior - Senior Prom

The Winter Formal, "Cupid's Cotillion," held on February 15 at St. John's Panel Room, provided a delightful evening for Morton students. Music furnished by the Vi-Kings, plus the sparkling decoration, added to the enchantment of the evening. This eagerly awaited event was sponsored by the Governmnt Club to support Kim Chun Yung, Morton's Korean orphan.

The 1964 Prom, "Sea Mist," held on May 23 at St. Michael's Hall, was the climax of the senior year. The elaborately decorated hall created a dreamy atmosphere. Entertainment for this memorable evening was provided by vocalist and trumpet player Pat DeMure. The juniors and seniors also danced to the enchanting music of the Don Carone Orchestra at the After-Prom Party held at the Woodmar Country Club. Vocalist Ronnie Rice and the Dru-Vells also entertained. The After Prom-Party wasn't the finale for many attending the Prom. Many students served "brunches" the morning after the Prom. These were followed by outings to the beach or an amusement park. The exciting weekend came to an end all to soon.

SENIORS Helen Holsclaw and Harry Shock arrived in formal attire, eager to begin a long-awaited evening.

SENIOR GIRLS, Janet Bales, Rita Sherer, Pam Opperman, and Betty Sasse spent much of their time rehearsing parodies of popular songs pertaining to Morton and graduation. The girls provided amusing and sentimental entertainment at the Senior Banquet held in April.

Seniors Bid Governor's Mansion Good-Bye

As Senior Week approached, Morton seniors realized that their high school days were coming to a close. This last week marked the end of a way of life.

The Sr. Executive Board helped the seniors make arrangements for many activities throughout the year. Each Wednesday, seniors wore their brown and beige "cords". Friends' signatures or "Nom de Plumes," and crazy drawings were marked on the cords. Seniors worked diligently to help make a success of the spring play, **Taming of the Shrew.** The Senior Banquet was held at a local restaurant on April 28. The humorous Class Will and Prophecy was read there. The prom, which was one of the highlights to the senior year, was given by the Junior Class for seniors.

The last week of the school year was one of the most fun-filled but probably one of the saddest weeks for seniors. For each day of the week, seniors wore special clothes — bermudas, clashing clothes and kindergarten outfits. Monday an unusual quiet fell over the school because seniors were doomed to silence. The final day of the year seniors dressed in their best proving they were really grown up.

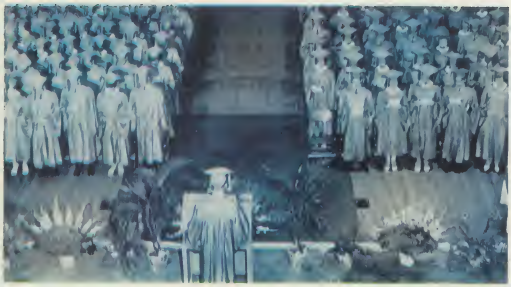
KINDERGARTEN DAY
Micki McGinnis

SILENCE DAY
Bob Mitchell

BERMUDA DAY
Larry Lessie

CLASH DAY
Judy McAleer

DRESS-UP DAY
Doreen Bianucci

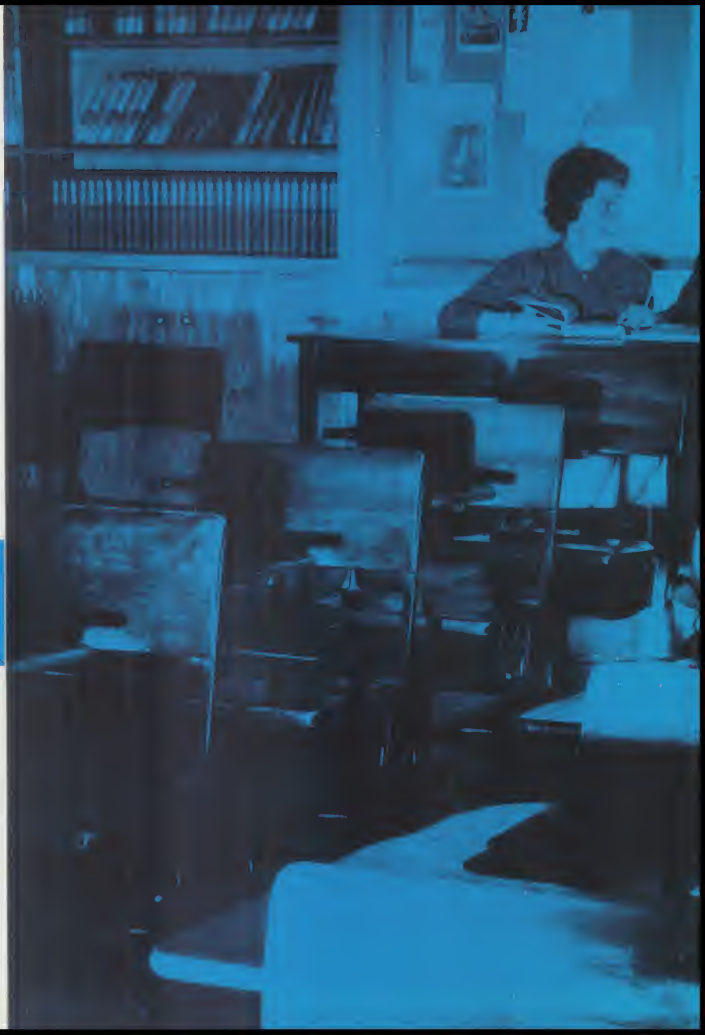


GRADUATING students gathered at the Civic Center for commencement exercises on June 10. Dean D. F. Berkley, from Indiana University, was the speaker for the ceremony.

With Arrival of Spring Fever, Senior Week

June 7 and June 10 were two of the most important days in the lives of Morton seniors; their high school careers were brought to a close after Baccalaureate and Commencement ceremonies. Traditionally, blue caps and gowns were worn proudly as seniors participated in graduation exercises held at the Civic Center. Faces beamed with pride and joy as seniors received their diplomas, Those "important papers" were cherished by all who passed from Morton's halls. Seniors realized that four of the best years of their life were now passed, but they will always be remembered as years of personal growth.

STUDENTS BEGIN a new life as they leave the Civic Center after Commencement exercises. Following the ceremony, students attended parties to celebrate the occasion.

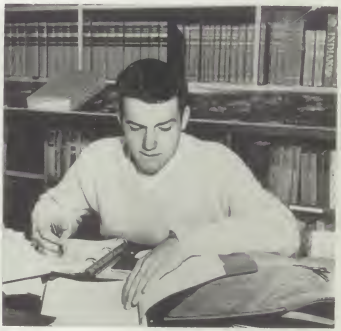


ACADEMICS

The purpose of every school is to educate. The school Morton fulfills that purpose. There are few better places at which to be educated than at Morton, a school that holds the highest standards of scholarship. Each day Morton leads its students into a world of new things, a world where one can travel the globe by learning, a constantly changing and challenging world, re-formed daily by current events. Morton's faculty is of the best quality, and so are the students. They help make Morton what it is—the Governors' Mansion.

Governors Explore Mysteries

ENGLISH LITERATURE students Eugene Misner, Judy Reeves, and Sherman Waring act out a scene from "A Man for All Seasons," a play studied in Mrs. Moylan's class.



RESEARCH PAPERS present a great scholastic obstacle for juniors in Composition V. George Bewley uses the library's sources to begin work on a term paper for his class.

English, "ye olde language," is studied for at least seven semesters by all Morton students before they graduate. Through the exploration of our intricate language, Governors increase their ability to comprehend and absorb the knowledge made available to them.

Freshmen study basic grammar and composition skills. They usually read, as a class, one novel per semester along with individual book reports each six weeks. Since this program of study is continued into the sophomore year, books such as **David Copperfield, Ivanhoe,** and **A Tale of Two Cities** add to the store of literary knowledge of underclassmen.

Semester courses in composition and American literature are taken by juniors at Morton. Comp. V teaches juniors to express themselves in clear, concise English. American Literature VI provides students with a workable knowledge of the great American authors and their works.

Some seniors take another full year of composition while others elect to divide their last year between composition and English literature. In this last semester of composition, "The Atlantic Monthly' is a teaching aid.

HISTORY AND ADVENTURE come alive for freshmen English students through the pages of books. Dave Mustoe and Diane Burke discuss their latest literary "venture."

of "Ye Olde Language" Through Recitation, Composition

Speech and journalism are "extra" courses offered to Governors by the English department; not required for graduation, they are electives taken by students interested in these fields as vocations or hobbies.

First and second semester speech students study the various types of orations — such as extemporaneous speaking, "heckle" speeches, and after-dinner talks. A unit on parliamentary procedure is also included in the course.

Journalism students soon became familiar with the many sections of the daily newspaper. They learn to recognize feature stories and "yellow journalism." "Datelines," "masthead," and "by-lines" quickly become commonplace terms. Students taking journalism likewise try their hand at writing news stories and editorials. Most journalism students eventually take positions on either publication.

SPEECH STUDENTS, often called upon to give demonstrations, use varied props to help carry their points across. Ellen Hawking displays a top hat for emphasis.

"PEEK-A-BOO," Carla Frye seems to be saying as she clips a newspaper article for journalism class. Journalism students, required to cut out and study newspaper stories, at times must search through mountains of newsprint to find just the right article for class.

SCHNELWITCHEN, better known as **Snow White,** is translated by Mr. Jordan's third year German class while second year students work on class assignments.

Governors Become Familiar With Other Countries

MR. RUFF'S FAMOUS GRIN and "violin" sign confront Jerry Bogner as he receives the results of his Latin exam.

Language study is an integral part of the curriculum at Morton. Through development of the linguistic arts, Governors gain a better understanding of the world around them.

A detailed study of grammar and vocabulary enables German students to "decipher" stories, novels and fairy tales in German. In third year Geman, offered for the first time this year, students exercise their knowledge of the language through translation and conversation, dictation and memorization.

"Magister Ruff" (alias Mr. Ruff, Latin teacher) assigns daily drills in vocabulary and grammar. The "dead language" takes second year students back to ancient Rome, where they follow the adventures of two young boys, and also to the great battle fields where Caesar fought the Gallic Wars.

"X" marks the spot where a Latin student must stand if his recitation cannot be heard. In the front of the room the soft-spoken student finishes his translation. A trip to "Siberia", the corner of the room, is the fate of the student who talks too much.

THE TAPE RECORDER is used to improve their French conversations by third year students Sue Zaher, Marcel Zlotnik, Sue Cutler, Phyllis Chrisney, Jenny Houchin, Judy Jeneske, Ruth Ann Baxley, and David Ellison, under the direction of Mrs. Hastings, their teacher.

Through Study of Foreign Customs and Languages

FIRST YEAR SPANISH STUDENT Pamela Scott is helped with her pronunciation by her teacher, Mr. Baker, and third year students Madeline Barabas and John Gerovac.

Entering the Spanish and French classes takes one into a world completely apart from that in Morton's other rooms. Here only the respective foreign language is spoken, encouraging the growth of proficiency in the students through example and repetition.

First year Spanish students receive instruction in Spanish grammar and vocabulary, then learn to write compositions in Spanish and translate Spanish stories. "La Luz," a Spanish newspaper, often supplements books such as **Gil Blas.** The second year of Spanish, a more detailed study, may be followed by a third course, offered for the first time this past year to Morton students.

The "sound of music" resounds almost daily in the French room. Students' grammar and vocabulary study is enhanced by the singing of French songs, accompanied by a tape recorder. The recorder, as well as a "home-made" language lab, is used to help students better their conversational French. For those students who wish to obtain a more exact knowledge of the "international language," a third year is now offered.

Laboratory Experiments Highlight Physical Sciences

Physical sciences of chemistry and physics enable Morton students to become acquainted with almost everything from chemical bonding and atomic energy to crystal structures and electroplating.

Physics students study forces and energy and experiment with simple machines and electrical currents. During the year, students are given "unknowns," which they must identify by physical properties such as volume, density, and specific gravity. Projects concerning light, heat, and sound are also included in the course.

Lab periods pay off in many ways for chemistry students; besides burning their fingers and melting the paint on the lab counters, they find that experimental data most often coincides with the chemical theory studied in their textbooks. A general study of elements, compounds, mixtures, and chemical reactions is included in both Chemistry V and VI. Also, a semester of advanced chemistry is open to students completing the first year.

CONCENTRATING on an experiment in electroplating are chemistry students Jim Bucko and Frank McCay.

PHYSICS STUDENTS Russ Barron, Bill Rakos, and Ernest Rosenau seem to be enjoying their work on an electricity experiment.

STUDYING THE HUMAN BODY is an important part of zoology. Alice Reichardt and Terry Mears learn the parts of the human hand with the help of a "friend."

HEALTH AND SAFETY student Harold Goodwin studies the parts of the body with the help of "Hector." However, he seems to think that the lungs are found in the abdominal cavity of the dummy.

Study of Life Sciences Varies from Algae to Zoology

To meet the ever-growing demand for biological scientists, Morton offers courses in biology, zoology, and health and safety.

Students taking health and safety, a course required for graduation, study the various aspects of personal health and the functions and structure of the human body.

One year of science is needed for graduation, and most Morton students elect to fulfill this requirement with biology. While studying the "science of life," students collect and classify insects and dissect everything from carrots to frogs and earthworms.

A course in zoology is offered to those students who have successfully completed a year of biology. Zoology students, in studying the more complicated forms of life, dissect sharks and cats and other creatures.

ALL BIOLOGY STUDENTS must have a practical knowledge of laboratory specimens. Judy Janssen, Jeanne Sankowski, and Sue Means learn with a microscope and a worm.

Social Studies Bring the World to Morton,

Economics students soon become familiar with financial up's and down's and how government spending and the national debt affect their daily lives. They study inflation and deflation and learn that the value of one dollar is really about forty-two cents.

The various types of government from dictatorships to democracy furnish Morton students with much food for thought. The study of republics and totalitarian states makes students more appreciative of their free government.

The role of the United States in world affairs is the subject of an elective history course offered to juniors and seniors. Current events as portrayed in modern news coverage are discussed by the class.

INDIANA'S STATE FLAG is discussed by government students Bob Segally, Judy McAleer, Dot Hogya and their instructor, Mr. Gartner. A history of the flag and regulations concerning it are taught in Govt. VII.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the Amalgamated Doughnut Company — Becky Francis, Yvonne Ignazito, Tom Sabo, Bill Roach, and Melinda Owens — prepare for a financial report. The company was formed as an experiment in "big business."

Introduce Governors to Old and New Civilizations

GEOGRAPHY OF THE WORLD is illustrated by various student-made maps. Ed Ingram and Betty Woerner set up this display for their classmates.

The pageantry of ancient Egypt, the rip-roaring old West, and the confusion of the World Wars are only a few of the many things of which Morton students become aware when they study United States and world history. Events long past, such as the Crusades and the Battle of Little Big Horn, are relived through the pages of a textbook and illustrated pamphlets and through viewing films.

Geography students study "terra firma" with the help of a globe, maps, and charts. This type of study enables students to link geographical conditions with the historical and economic developments of the world.

THE REMNANT of an ancient civilization is investigated by Mr. Nelson and world history students Ardis Kaufman and Daryl Mattox.

ADVANCED ALGEBRA students Jack DuFrain and Larry Stout ponder their algebraic "endeavors." Jack doesn't understand that in this phase of algebra, division by zero is impossible.

Basic Mathematics, Plane Geometry, and Algebra

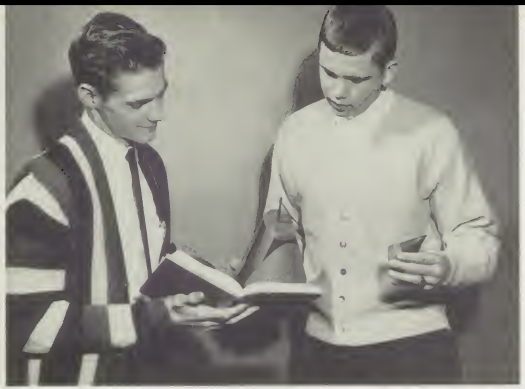
A variety of math courses present Morton students with many problems, varying from algebra's equations to geometry's congruencies, definitions and thearems.

In preparation for a life in a world newly advanced in the fields of science and mathematics, all pupils are required to take a minimum of three semesters of math. Many, however, are enrolled in various math classes throughout their high school careers. Other courses are offered which interest business students as well as the college-bound.

Freshmen taking general mathematics learn elemental math for everyday use. In this course students solve problems dealing with simple addition and subtraction and study the principles that are the basis for algebra.

Those freshmen who enroll in Algebra I are faced with solving quantity problems, graphing equations, and finding the "unknown" in simple equations.

IN DEMONSTRATING the method of inscribing a circle in a triangle to Cookie Creekmore and Bob Novosel, Mr. Huls illustrates one of the many uses of one of the geometric principles studied in Geometry II, the locus of points.



ANALYTIC GEOMETRY students are often engaged in projects involving solid figures such as cones. Bob Salach and Jack Overman demonstrate their geometric ability in naming the various conic sections and curves.

Stimulate New Interests, Fill Heads With Formulas

Aside from preparing students for life after graduation, mathematics aids in the development of a student's reasoning powers. Rules based on logic are used to solve equations, to find angles, and to prove theorems.

Plane geometry, a sophomore subject, while offering a quick smattering of architectural and simple physics problems, delves into the mysteries of angles, arcs, polygons, circles, congruencies and theorems.

Students who wish to continue in mathematic endeavors find taking advanced algebra, analytic geometry and trigonometery to their advantage. These courses, usually offered to juniors and seniors, concern the solving of the mysteries of slopes, parabolas, ellipses, functions, formulas, and the like.

Many seniors take commercial math, a course designed to aid pupils in post-high school life. Classes learn the use of checks, receipts, balance books, and many other business forms.

Students soon find that math holds the answers to many of the future's perplexing problems. Mathematics is the key to chemistry, medicine, physics, space, and life.

MONEY TRANSACTIONS are integral parts of business math class. Larry Wall doesn't relish exchanging his money for an "item" produced by Sharon Christ and Tom Evacko.

Students Find Business Accounts Hard to Balance,

Commercial courses offer a valuable program for business students. The curriculum includes typing, shorthand, clerical practice, bookkeeping, commercial math, salesmanship, general business, and business law.

Typing courses are provided for the students' own personal use and for future secretaries. Clerical practice gives students experience with various business machines. Salesmanship classes teach students the art of selling products in the business world. Business law defines the rights and obligations of all citizens in business organizations.

ADDING MACHINES are used by bookkeeping students Mary Kicho and Sharon Scartozzi to help compute accounts.

THE SLIDE PROJECTOR is used by general business students Linda Lucky and Jimmy Gasaway to make it easier to study the finer points in sample contracts.

"WELL I TRIED," was Carole Rae's comment after looking at the pile of typographical errors scattered around her typewriter.

Fingers Easy to Tangle, Foods Readily Burned

Bathing children, general child care, nutrition, body organisms, and emergency first aid care are just a few of the topics discussed in the home nursing course.

Girls in home management are taught the art of budgeting money and coping with the average household problems.

In clothing class girls begin their studies by using simple patterns and work up to more difficult items such as suits and coats.

Both girls and boys get a chance to show their skills and abilities at preparing balanced meals in the boys' and girls' foods courses. The boys not only learn to cook simple meals but also spend time learning to repair and iron their own clothes.

Mechanical drawing courses are available to prepare Morton boys for future careers in industry. Included in the course are scale drawing, and lettering.

CLOTHING STUDENTS Linda Holly, Bonnie Flesicher, Barbara Frye, and Carolyn Grenda model fashions which they made in class while Mrs. Stier smiles approvingly.

PROUDLY ADMIRING their baked apples in boys' foods class are Wayne Krupa, Skeeler Thompson, and Len Meseberg.

Governors Create Own World with Brushes and Pallet

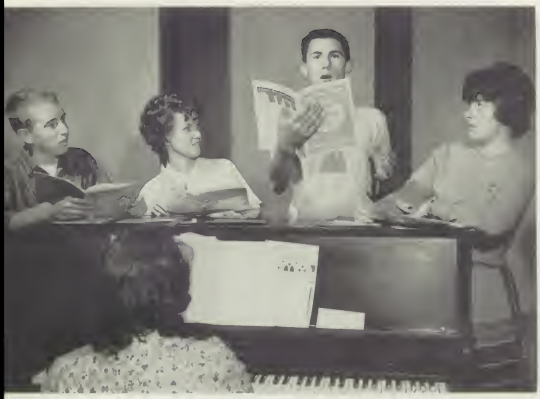
BUSY COMPLETING an art assignment, Kazia Macey made a pencil sketch before attempting her final painting.

Art courses give students a chance to express themselves through the various artistic mediums such as painting, and sculpting.

Students desiring advanced study are required to take Art I and II. In these 'primary' classes students learn the correct usage of all art tools. Basic composition and design are mastered through sculpture and stencil exercises and figure and landscape artistry.

All students who have completed Art I and II meet together in one class. Figure drawing, including the sketching of eyes, noses, and hands, is studied. Continuous-line drawings are examined, along with geometric volumes. Sponges are often used to achieve varied special effects.

CAPTURING THE EXPRESSION of a live model on paper is one of the most difficult techniques studied by advanced art students. Art Berquist serves as a model for his class.



GREATLY DISMAYED by Jim Halcarz's musical interpretation, fellow choir members Tim Brown, Jeanne Rose, and Jo Rudisell look on in amazement.

Morton's Halls Echo with the "Sound Of Music"

Vocal groups lend to the spirit of the holiday season by performing at Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter assemblies, as well as presenting a spring and autumn concert. The entire choir and selected students from the other vocal groups participate in the all-city vocal music festival. The choir, boys and girls choruses, and the glee club provide musical selections at the graduation ceremonies in the spring.

The Swing Sixteen, the Eight Notes, and the Carrillons are the three new additions to the vocal department. A madrigal and jazz group, the Swing Sixteen sings at school, political, and community affairs. The Carillons, a ten-member girls group, won a first division rating at a vocal music contest in Gary. The Eight Notes, a boys ensemble, performed in assemblies.

BOYS CHORUS MEMBERS sometimes find perfect harmony difficult to achieve. Norb Barkowski points out a possible improvement to Don Chesney and Tim Wolf in an attempt to gain a better blend of voices.

ORGANIZATIONS

The need to belong is one of the greatest driving forces in human life. Each person wants continually to feel himself a part of a group, a necessary part of a whole. Here at Morton each student is a part, not only of the school but also of the school's clubs. Every Governor belongs to at least one club, where his interests and ideas are shared by the other members. Morton's many organizations depend upon the support of their members, and Governors are loyal to their commitments. This interdependence helps make Morton what it is—
the Governors' Mansion.

MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES are — BOTTOM ROW: A. Monpetit, J. Brakley, H. Witte, S. Neel, P. Dovey, D. Bocken, K. Gardner, D. Sheldon. SECOND ROW: P. Talmadge, B. Francis, S. Powers, E. Robinson, L. Kohl, J. Alexander, C. Williams. THIRD ROW: R. Hopp, L. Wieneke, C. Toth, T. Oros, S. Knaver, M. Mechei, A. Knish. TOP ROW: P. Scott, W. Gallimore, J. Bucko, G. Andersen, J. Mihalic, D. Bienko, J. Bujwit, D. Benton.

Morton's Student Association Trains the Leaders

Most Morton students do not realize the great influence that the Student Association has upon their daily lives. In 1964 the Association served to organize activities, program assemblies, and enforce student regulations.

Playing a leading role in the student government were the Association officers. Elected in the spring by the student body, the three officers strove toward maintaining the high standards set by previous administrations and improving the government where improvement was most needed. Working together, President Willie Ruff, Vice-President Rick Tyler, and Recorder Doreen Bianucci made a successful year at Morton.

The House of Representatives, composed of representatives from each homeroom, met with these officers every other Tuesday during club period. Although allotted enough time for only short sessions, the representatives discussed and passed many bills.

STUDENT ASSOCIATION OFFICERS who led the school in 1964 are President Willie Ruff, Recorder Doreen Bianucci, and Vice-President Rick Tyler.

SENATE MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Sherman Waring, senior; Terry Rhodes, freshman; Cecelia Sherer, sophomore; Sandy Jarvis, sophomore; Linda Vintilla, freshman. SECOND ROW: Jim Hlavaty, junior; Larry Lessie, senior; Pam Opperman, senior; Rick Tyler, Vice-Pres. of Student Association. TOP ROW: John Gerovac, junior; Kris Houser, junior.

# of Tomorrow While Serving the School Today

Planning assemblies, balancing the budget, penalizing delinquent students, and building a good safety record are some of the jobs of the cabinet. The five secretaries who compose the cabinet were selected by President Willie Ruff on the basis of dependability, integrity, and service. Each control one area of student life. In January a new position was created for the purpose of finding jobs for the students; Russ Barron then became Secretary of Student Employment.

Working with the other three branches of the student government is the Senate. Comprised of 10 class-elected Senators, the Senate passed laws and made suggestions that benefitted all students. With the House of Representatives, the Senate met each service-club day to dicuss and solve school problems.

CABINET MEMBERS are Linda Foster, Secretary of Social Affairs; Bob Mitchell, Secretary of the Student Center; Gary Dietrich, Secretary of Safety; Bob VanGorp, Secretary of Justice; and Ramona Crowe, Secretary of Assemblies. Not pictured is Russ Barron, Secretary of Student Employment.

TOP HAT SALESMEN are — BOTTOM ROW: L. Parks, B. Mola, M. Reid, B. White, B. Miller, J. Olsen, G. Banka, M. Johnson, J. Sankowski. SECOND ROW: T. Castro, J. Wells, B. Dye, E. Moffett, L. Johnson, S. Duggins, L. Lowrance, D. Glegg, S. Martin. THIRD ROW: B. Bobich, J. Martin, B. Bellby, B. Westerlund, N. Baasse, S, Shanley, S. Golec, J. Bundy, K. Mehok, J. Constant. TOP ROW: J. Mancos, W. Pelhank, B. Segally, J. Peterson, P. Benko, S. Hendron, C. McCarty, K. Houser, P Dodd, D. Daun, C. Stanley

Ever-Growing Staffs Worked Together In Many

Dependability and co-operation — these were the key words for the successful publication of this year's Top Hat. By working together the staff was able to provide students with a yearbook by the end of the school year.

Heading the staff this year were editor Kris Houser, junior, and assistant editor Audrey Dixon, senior. Under their direction copy was written, pictures were taken, and advertisements were sold. Both girls prepared for their positions by attending journalism conferences last summer.

The business staff, headed by Marie Johnson, handles the "money-end" of the book. They work hard to solicit ads, take care of all bills incurred by the Top Hat, and sell books to the students. In their hand lies responsibility for the finances of the yearbook.

For extra activities this year the Top Hat staff held its annual yearbook-signing party and co-sponsored the Quill and Scroll Banquet in the spring. At the banquet new Quill and Scroll members were initiated.

TOP HAT AD SALESMEN are — BOTTOM ROW: Jerry Weber, Lu Etta Parks, Sue Zaher, and Marilyn Gancheff. TOP ROW: Sandi Parrish, Carleen Adams, Laura Ball.

DIRECTING PUBLICATION of the 1964 TOP HAT are — Editor Kris Houser, Advisor Mrs. Stock, Photographic Advisor Mr. Rasmussen, Assistant Editor Audrey Dixon.

BUSINESS STAFF MEMBERS of the 1964 TOP HAT are — Marie Johnson, Lu Etta Parks, Advisor Miss Walcott, Marianne Mansavage, Sandy Parrish.

Phases of Journalism To Publish 1964 Top Hat

1964 TOP HAT STAFF MEMBERS are Paula Rosenau, Bill Hunziker, Jill Virag, Linda Foster, Sharyn Barnes, Ruth Ann Hoop, Andrea Knish, Kathy Teegarden, Jo Anne Sherman, Jerry Weber, Madeline Barabas, Roz Brenman, Karen Shanta, Mary Hether.

Both Yearbook and Newspaper Staffers Honored By

MORTONITE STAFF MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: J. Houchin, J. Sherman, E. Hawking, N. Quinn, TOP ROW: G. Smulevitz, S. Lomax, C. Williams, J. Diehl, M. Waters, J. Arvay, J. DuFrain, L. Horvath, B. Westerlund.

MORTONITE EDITORS are — BOTTOM ROW: H. Holsclaw, S. Britt, Sponsor Mrs. Stock, S. Stone, L. Kennedy. SECOND ROW: C. Wood, P. Chrisney, D. Bianucci, M. Zlotnik. TOP ROW: K. Hauser, S. Sweeney, M. Schweighardt. These editors produced 19 issues.

Morton's newspaper has "come a long way" since the first issue in 1954. Originally appearing as a page in the "Hessvillite," it had been under the supervision of the Press Club. The installation of the journalism classes enabled a school issue to be printed.

Today the **Mortonite** is a necessary part of the student's life. Published semi-monthly, it serves as a handy reference for current, as well as past, events. Facts and features compiled by reporters are offered for the students' enjoyment and education.

The editors prepared for work on the paper by studying newspaper techniques at special journalism institutes held at colleges. Proofreading, makeup, headline structure, and writing style are subjects perfected by students through the study of journalism before they take a position on the paper.

Membership in Morton's Quill and Scroll

Quill and Scroll is an international honorary society formed to encourage students to participate in high school journalism. Only students who have done superior work in school publication work are eligible to enter. To be a candidate for membership one must be a junior or senior, be in the upper third of his class, and be recommended by the publications sponsor.

New Quill and Scroll members were initiated at an impressive candlelight ceremony in January and at the annual banquet where positions on both staffs were announced for the coming year.

TACKLE FOOTBALL is not only for the guys. Female members of both staffs took a try at it in the Top Hat-Mortonite game in October. The yearbook staff won, 21-6.

QUILL AND SCROLL MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Pres. H. Holsclaw, Pro. Ch. K. Houser, Sec. R. Hopp, Sponsor Mrs. Stock. SECOND ROW: G. Smulevitz, D. Blanucci, A. Dixon, K. Shanta, J. Bundy. THIRD ROW: A. Knish, M. Barabas, S. Britt, P. Chrisney, L. Foster, L. Kennedy. TOP ROW: C. Wood, M. Zlotnik, S. Sweeney, M. Schweighardt, M. Hether, J. Walsh.

NEW MEMBERS OF HONOR SOCIETY are — BOTTOM ROW: M. Creekmore, B. Freel, H. Badovinac, S. Buza, L. Foss, R. Baxley, J. Jeneske, J. Walsh, F. Vintilla, L. Kohl. SECOND ROW: K. Teegarden, J. Frye, A. Reichardt, C. Shanta, L. Long, P. Williams, P. Rosenau, L. Kennedy, S. Shanley, A. Knish, R. Brenman. THIRD ROW: D. Burton, L. Stout, J. Evans, S. Cutler, J. Arvay, C. Girman, G. Anderson, K. Mueller, K. Houser, J. Farster, G. Kelly. FOURTH ROW: R. Grenda, G. Bewley, P. Scott, S. Sweeney, J. Halcarz, B. Jamison, B. Florence, T. Krughoff, T. Smith, A. Nagy.

Scholars Attain Goals of National Honor Society

The highest honor paid to a Morton student is membership in National Honor Society. Sponsored by Miss Mabel Hunter, the organization maintains the highest standards, requiring its members to excel in all aspects of school life.

All upperclassmen with a 3.0 index for four semesters who have been on either honor roll for four consecutive times are eligible for membership. These students make application for membership and are voted on by the faculty. Once admitted, a student must maintain his grade average to remain in the society.

Initiation of new members into the National Honor Society took place in January and in the spring. Four of the officers represented the spirits of scholarship, leadership, character, and service, and the two other officers received the students as they were inducted. After the ceremony each new member received an Honor Society pin.

To raise money for initiation expenses, a bake sale was held in the winter at a local bank. Club members baked the "goodies."

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY members are — BOTTOM ROW: Pres. B. Mitchell, V.-Pres. S. Waring, Sec. B. Stryzinski, Treas. S. Zaher, Pro. Ch. H. Holsclaw, Alumni Ch. R. Crowe. SECOND ROW: G. Wilks, J. McAleer, S. Reno, D. Modjeski, A. Dixon, J. Stevens, E. Arnold, M. McGinnis, G. Smulevitz. THIRD ROW: S. Britt, K. Losh, R. Sherer, C. Knight, C. Wood, L. Foster, D. Krizman, B. Quinn. FOURTH ROW: R. Casey, B. Kovera, E. Rosenau, G. Dietrich, F. Ecklund, J. Janssen, J. Bundy, L. White, J. Finley. TOP ROW: J. Wells, D. Laurion, D. Neff, L. Gombus, D. Ward, B. Salach, J. Weber, E. Misner, H. Shock.

Boys Gain Recognition Through Service and Sports

Leadership, high moral standards, and generosity are just a few of the qualities displayed by the members of the Hi-Y Club. Affiliated with the Y.M.C.A., this club is interested in giving service where it is needed.

One of the annual projects of the club is the Hi-Y Thanksgiving basket. The entire student body contributed canned goods and money to help fill the baskets. Needy families were selected to receive them.

The Mr. Ugly Dance is another annual activity held to raise money. This money goes toward the Robert Newkirk Scholarship, which is awarded to a member of Hi-Y to help finance his education.

Good sportsmanship and fair play are stressed by Morton's M-Club. All those who have lettered in one or more sports are eligible for membership in the club.

One of the club's activities is the Has-Been-Will-Be Basketball Game held each year. The game pits the graduating seniors against the underclassmen in formal dress.

HI-Y OFFICERS are — SEATED: Pres. Ron Estep, V.-Pres. Jim Ferguson, Sgt.-at-Arms Jay Summers, Treas. Cliff Watts, Sec. Bob Muller. STANDING: Sgt.-at-Arms Jim Jewett, Chap. Lenny Meseberg.

M-CLUB MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Pres. T. Hopman, Sgt.-at-Arms K. Jazyk, Sec. R. Barron, V.-Pres. R. Hill, Treas. K. Hyde. SECOND ROW: J. Jewett, B. Zerby, T. Eaton, THIRD ROW: G. Dagley, T. Sumner, J. Summers, T. Eatinger, L. Meseberg, B. Mueller. FOURTH ROW: D. Meding, E. Rosenau, J. Ferguson, J. Overman, C. Watts, D. Rose. TOP ROW: B. Van Gorp, J. Barta, B. Salach, R. Estep, W. Capalby, F. Coapstick.

Student Court Maintains 'Balance of Justice'

Offenders of school rules are tried each morning, Tuesday through Friday, from 8:00 to 8:25, by Morton's Student Court. Students, given the opportunity to defend themselves before judges, receive a fair trial while they learn the fundamentals of court procedure through actual experience. Violators are tried by Chief Justice Bob Van Gorp and his four judges, one representing each class, for offenses such as jaywalking, trespassing, littering, creating disturbances, or eating in the halls. The court recorder summons students accused of offenses and records verdicts. Deputies for each lunch hour supervise penalties, which include carrying "No Trespassing" and "Jaywalking" signs, picking up papers, and washing windows.

COURT DEPUTIES are—BOTTOM ROW: Bob Zimmerman, Jack Sheline, Tim Sumner. SECOND ROW: Reggie Valentino, Chester Bailor. THIRD ROW: Jim Cain, Ron Sherwinski. TOP ROW: Richard Goudge, Ron Long.

COURT MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Sophomore Judge Fred Bruner, Bailiff Ken Hyde, Recorder Lynne Sabo, Senior Judge Bill Hunziker, Junior Judge Tom Krughoff, Freshman Judge John Egner. TOP ROW: Asst. Recorder Sue George, Chief Justice Bob Van Gorp. In its actions, the Student Court enforced self government at Morton.

BOOSTER CLUB MEMBERS Sue Cutler, Madeline Barabas, Marci Henkhaus, Carla Frye, Mary Hether, and Jane Walsh look over the key chains sold by the Booster Club this year.

Booster Club Arouses School Spirit, Peps Up Morale

To give Morton's athletic teams extra support is the purpose of the Booster Club. During the football season, the members took turns working at refreshment stands. Basketball season found them altering capes for the cheer block and selling key chains. Booster tags were sold during baseball season to raise money for the spring sports, since no admission is charged for these games. A drawing was held late in the spring for various prizes. A special committee, under the direction of Mr. Donald Woolls and Mr. Robert Welte, set new rules for this year's club in order to more efficiently support sport activities.

BOOSTER CLUB OFFICERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Sponsor Mr. Welte, Treas. Janet Glasgow, Sec. Mary Waters. SECOND ROW: Pub. Ch. Sharyn Barnes, Pres. Ramona Crowe. THIRD ROW: Ch. of Assemblies Joanne Frye, Sgt.-at-Arms Sue Dietrich. TOP ROW: V.-Pres. Henry Kras.

Clubs and Honorary Groups Help Speakers to Improve

Tournaments, trips, and the challenge and the opportunity to perfect the art of speaking are the chief reasons given by this year's debaters for their membership on the debate teams. Coached by Mr. Ellis Hays, seniors Helen Holsclaw and Susan Zaher won both their first round of TV debate on "Rebuttal" and the right for Morton to appear again later in the year. The sub-varsity teams have won well over seventy-five percent of their debates, and are steadily improving.

The ultimate goal of every debater and rhetorician is membership in the National Forensic League. Sponsored by Mr. Hays and Mr. McNabney, NFL is an honorary organization which bases its membership on speaking points awarded at speech meets.

DEBATE TEAM MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: S. George, H. Holsclaw, B. Burton, L. Smith, D. Burton, H. Shock, Coach Mr. E. Hays. TOP ROW: E. Misner, J. Cornelison, S. Zaher, B. Mitchell, M. Agnini.

NFL MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: B. Sasse, J. Zea, R. Crowe, A. Reichardt, A. Knish, H. Holsclaw, S. George, C. Wood, S. Zaher. SECOND ROW: B. Burton, N. Chamberlain, D. Jamison, K. Houser, J. Halcarz, R. Rhodes, V.-Pres. H. Shock, Pres. B. Mitchell. TOP ROW: J. Cornelison, D. Burton, E. Misner, T. Krughoff, L. Smith, M. Agnini, Sponsors Mr. McNabney, Mr. Hays. All have earned at least twenty-five points.

Debates, Speeches, and Dramatic Readings

ORAL INTERPRETATION LEAGUE members are — D. Jamison, A. Reichardt, R. Smith, R. Rhodes, A. Knish, B. Jamison, K. Teegarden, Pres. J. Halcarz, Sec. K. Houser, V.-Pres. J. Walsh, B. Sasse, J. Zea.

1964 brought a new organization to the speech department — the Oral Interpretation League. An offspring of the National Forensic League, OIL is also an honorary organization. Sponsoring bake sales and small rhetoric groups for programs at local club meetings, OIL earns money to finance trips to statewide speech meets. OIL also helps students earn degrees in NFL by checking out dramatic readings through a library system and coaching speakers for contests.

VARSITY DEBATER Helen Holsclaw rehearses her speech for her appearance on the television program "Rebuttal."

Science Clubs Encourage Students' Further Research

Zoology and Phy-Chem Clubs offer students a chance to develop their scientific interests. Working on science fair projects, hearing guest speakers, and planning exhibits widen their knowledge of a chosen branch of science, either physical or biological.

To raise money to finance projects, the Zoology Club held "Mamma Mia's Pizza Party." Profits from this dance were given to students with worthwhile projects to buy needed equipment.

The Phy-Chem Club also held a dance later in the year. The dance financed a trip to the Argonne National Laboratories.

ZOOLOGY CLUB MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Sponsor Mr. Rasmussen, Sec. L. Foster, Treas. K. Losh, Pres. D. Hogya, V.-Pres. J. McAleer. SECOND ROW: D. Puett, R. Crowe, N. Glass, S. Buza, C. Mack, THIRD ROW: C. Hogatt, C. Iliff, T. Mears, A. Reichhardt, B. Kovera. TOP ROW: R. Goudge, R. Long, D. Rasmussen, D. Smaron, G. Seydel.

PHY-CHEM CLUB is — BOTTOM ROW: Sponsor Mr. Besch, V.-Pres. B. Salach, Treas. G. Fleischer, Pres. T. Kornaus, Sponsor Mrs. Pettersen. SECOND ROW: A. Knish, S. Shanley, M. Hether, P. Rosenau, R. Brenman, S. Buza, D. Spork. THIRD ROW: B. Rakos, A. Sikich, J. Mancos, P. Scott, B. Mitchell, S. Bigler. FOURTH ROW: D. Montgomery, J. Certa, E. Misner, J. Weber, B. Florence, J. Bucko, W. Gallimore. TOP ROW: G. Taggert, F. McCay, J. Tomsic, D. Neff, L. Gombus, R. Bromels, J. Marley, R. Valentino.

BIOLOGY CLUB MEMBERS are—BOTTOM ROW: Sponsor Mr. Spry, Sec. M. Eades, Pres. R. Morrison, Treas. R. Ortega, V.-Pres. S. Peterson. SECOND ROW: S. Martin, A. Monpetit, A. Burns, M. Federenko, J. Olsen. THIRD ROW: J. Pawlak, B. Russell, J. Korba, R. Bobos, P. Klopsch. TOP ROW: T. Sabo, L. Benkovich, M. Skertich, K. Pierson, M. Pettis, A. Lessie, R. Matonovich.

Clubs Invite Students to Social and Scientific World

The Government Club sponsored social activities to raise money for Kim Chun Yung, its adopted Korean orphan. A winter formal, "Cupid's Cotillion," was presented on February 15, Kim's birthday, along with a raffle and an assembly held earlier in the school year.

Sponsored by Mr. Hoorehead and Mr. Gartner, the Government Club teaches students about their state and local governments.

Designed for students who enjoy both zoology and botany, the Biology Club has some of both. During club periods members are able to dissect animals, learn about plants, and study plant and animal life in pond water. Guest speakers lecture on the sciences to give students a wider knowledge of the world.

GOVERNMENT CLUB MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Sponsor Mr. Gartner, Sponsor Mr. Moorehead, Pub. Ch. C. Sarver, Sec. B. Gallimore, Pres. L. Lessie, V.-Pres. J. Overman. SECOND ROW: J. White, J. Alexander, J. Sherman, C. Grenda. THIRD ROW: S. Pocius, M. Bakker, C. Toth, E. Moffett. FOURTH ROW: N. McConnell, T. Oros, S. Duggins, M. Kicho. FIFTH ROW: M. Gancheff, C. Adams, P. Dodd, C. Kolwicz. SIXTH ROW: G. Bishop, C. Hines, S. Freeman, G. Maskovich. SEVENTH ROW: R. Lohse, K. Milton, M. Sallade, M. Schweighardt. TOP ROW: W. Pelhank, B. Segally, G. Dietrich, R. Tyler.

STAGE CREW MEMBERS Charles Thompson, Ralph Rhodes, and Sponsor Mr. Edwards erect "flats" for the dramatics and music department's production of **Babes in Toyland.**

Students Interested in Theater Arts Participate

THESPIAN MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Don Irvin, Kristine Tenkely, Don Jamison. TOP ROW: Mike Hendricks, Ralph Rhodes, Jim Halcarz.

STAGE CREW are — SIDE ROW: M. Astolas, D. O'Donnell, J. Halcarz, R. Sesny. BOTTOM ROW: D. Irvin, R. Rhodes, D. Jamison, G. Cantwell, B. Sabo. SECOND ROW: D. Eaton, M. Hendricks, K. Biro, K. Miller, G. Austin. TOP ROW: K. Laud, T. Charette, D. Bewley, K. Bjorklund, E. Cody, L. Gregar, K. Tenkely, K. Randham.

In Various Plays During the School Year

Gaining experience in the production of plays, the Theater Guild and the Stage Crew work together in constructing scenery, painting flats, and designing costumes. Their major production this year was the musical **Babes in Toyland.** Under the direction of Mr. Edwards, Miss Miller, and Mr. Gregory, the play had the most successful turn-out in five years, shown to two sell-out audiences in three nights. Other plays produced this year were the **Curious Savage** and Shakespeare's **Taming of the Shrew**, honoring his 400th birthday.

Affiliated with the Theater Guild and Stage Crew is the National Thespian Troupe 897. An honorary organization, Thespians is composed of students who have earned Thespian points by participating in plays as actors or crew members. Each prospective member is given from one to ten points, depending upon the work and time involved.

THEATER GUILD OFFICERS are: President Mike Hendricks, Vice-President Ardis Kaufman, Secretary Debbie Briggs.

Clubs Give Students Opportunity to Help Others

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA CLUB members are — BOTTOM ROW: Treas. D. Blenko, V.-Pres. B. While, Pres. C. Wood, Sec. M. Johnson, C. Biewenga, K. Sklanka, D. Sheldon, Sponsor Mrs. Walker Sponsor Miss Williams. SECOND ROW: K. Klebofski, M. Reid, J. Quandt, P. Kendzierski, M. Creekmore, K. Borsits, L. Brandenburg, S. Reno, L. Wells. THIRD ROW: L. Kennedy, J. Virag, S. Britt, J. Armstrong, R. Sherer, L. Inglis, K. Hmurovich, P. Banovich. TOP ROW: C. Ballor, M. Knight, F. Ecklund, J. Janssen, A. Crary, C. Knight, J. Frye.

Designed for students who have selected the profession they wish to enter, the Future Teachers and Future Nurses of America acquaint members with these vocations.

As part of its training program, the FTA arranges for students to serve as cadet teachers in the grade school. These student teachers gain practical experience by instructing classes, grading papers, and answering questions while they assist regular class teachers.

The FNA also gives students practical experience in their chosen profession. By aiding Miss Gibson, the school nurse, they learn more about nursing.

FUTURE NURSES OF AMERICA CLUB members are — BOTTOM ROW: Sponsor Miss Gibson, Sec. J. McAleer, Pres. B. Pruitt, V.-Pres. C. Zimmerman, Treas. B. Bobich. SECOND ROW: J. Stevens, B. Freel, M. Cunningham. THIRD ROW: J. Sherman, P. Waters, C. Grenda, L. Echterling. FOURTH ROW: G. Fleischer, A. Reichardt, K. Losh. FIFTH ROW: B. Mang, D. Hogya. SIXTH ROW: B. Thomas, L. Lucky, J. Marlott. SEVENTH ROW: C. Brown, D. Rouse, P. Banovich. TOP ROW: K. Callahan, M. Schweighardt.

By Helping Themselves

Beneficial to both the school and the community, the Tutor's Club and the Red Cross prepare students for their roles as adults, giving them a chance to improve themselves by helping others.

Aiding students who are having trouble with certain subjects is the job of the Tutor's Club. Students with a "B" average or above are eligible for membership. During free hours, the tutors help students.

The Red Cross is another organization designed to help people. Representatives from each homeroom collected donations for the annual Red Cross drive. During the school year the club sold stationery to supply gifts for the under-privileged, and people in special homes and hospitals. Gifts this year were personally delivered to the Lake County Nursing Home by club members.

TUTOR'S CLUB MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: V.-Pres. E. Arnold, Sec.-Treas. D. Spork, Pres. L. White. SECOND ROW: M. Creekmore, G. Smulevitz, S. Reno. THIRD ROW: J. Stevens, L. Foss, A. Knish. FOURTH ROW: J. Walsh, S. Zaher, S. Britt, B. Quinn. FIFTH ROW: L. Kennedy, K. Houser, B. Kovera, F. Ecklund. TOP ROW: E. Misner, D. Neff, B. Jamison, S. Sweeney.

RED CROSS MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: S. Reno, J. Finley, Mrs. Squibb, R. Sherer, B. Sheldon. SECOND ROW: J. Pruitt, M. Sheldon, J. Makowski, J. Mika. THIRD ROW: L. Aker, C. Knight, J. Agnini, K. Argadine. TOP ROW: L. Schwartz, M. Boyle, M. Estolas, D. Kozdras.

Vocal Groups, Instrumentalists Begin Advanced Music

GIRLS' CHORUS members are — BOTTOM ROW: M. Myers, M. Creekmore, D. Bocken, C. Travis, J. Makowski, L. Bell, M. McGinnis, L. Bjorklund, D. Goodson, B. Tussey, J. Osborn. SECOND ROW: D. Reynolds, B. Woerner, T. Castro, L. LaSalle, L. Wojcik, S. Chalkus, J. Clauson, D. Townsend, B. Steele, F. Burcham, S. Rosenberry, D. Thompson. THIRD ROW: D. Camper, L. Press, J. Armstrong, M. Leese, B. Wing, S. Becker, D. Ellis, B. Knoche, L. Kicinski, D. Laskowski, D. Lewis, K. Tenkely. TOP ROW: L. Jusko, T. Cooke, L. Crawford, M. Mandernack, M. Russel, C. Myers, K. Cergizan, I. Wells, J. Bobin, D. Sutherland, C. Mack, K. Milton, C. Koerner, L. Wing.

MEMBERS OF THE SENIOR BAND are — FRONT ROW: Paul Lewin, Judy Jeneske, Janice Zea, Jackie Premuda, Rick Tyler, Gayle Fleischer. SECOND ROW: Barbara Beilby, Lu Etta Parks, Pam Kenady, Betsy Harris, Deanna Spork, Martha Eastwood, Diana Riley, Sherry Bewley, Marilyn Berrisford. THIRD ROW: Joe Kapciak, Linda Kohl, Cathy Johnson, Elizabeth Arnold, Dick Struhs, Jim Marley, Ron Deak, Nancy Quinn, Jim Bucko, Roger Rollins, Diane Burke. FOURTH ROW: Jack Steele, Warren Griggs, Wayne Gallimore, Tom Krughoff, Gary Taggart, Michael Jackson, Dale Sumis, Marlene Nelson, Jim Schmidt, Joe Plummer.

Study Through Learning and Entertaining Others

Spreading music throughout the school and community was the job of the band and the Girls Chorus. Students participating in these organizations were able to further their musical abilities, to provide entertainment for others, and to enjoy playing an instrument or joining in group singing.

Under the direction of Mr. Melton, the band participated in many programs, playing in the Loyalty Day Parade in Hammond, the Memorial Day Parade in Hessville, the Fourth of July Parade in Whiting, and the Mardi Gras Parade in Chicago. It also entertained during half-time ceremonies at sports activities, besides holding two concerts during the school year and an outdoor performance during the summer month of July.

Representatives of the band were sent to the All-State-Band at Andersen. State contest brought first place in sight reading and an "Excellent" rating in concert playing.

Individual band members participated in a number of contests, among them the state finals at Butler University in February. At the contest 47 first-place gold and 15 second-place silver medals were won by Morton students.

Serving in another phase of school life, the pep band, composed of a few members of the regular band, aroused school spirit during football and basketball games.

To pay for transportation, uniforms, and music, the band held a candy sale in January.

Directed by Miss Barbara Miller, the Girls' Chorus is comprised of girls eager to sing who wish to some day be in the choir.

As extra activities this year, the girls participated in and supervised the Christmas and Easter assemblies, encouraging holiday spirit. They also carolled through the halls during the Christmas season and sang in the fall and spring concerts at school. The Girls Chorus met eighth hour as a regular class.

MEMBERS OF THE SENIOR BAND are — FRONT ROW: Jerry Weber, Jody Stevens, Sue Reno, Linda White, Sue Zaher. SECOND ROW: Ruth Ann Smith, Dick Montgomery, Mona Reid, Pat Mickey, Lex Smith, Ronald Purdy, Clark Gholson, Ruth Ann Baxley. THIRD ROW: Louis Weber, Wayne Pelhank, Pam Corman, Eugene Misner, Jim Kiger, Betty Quinn, Melinda Rogers, John Wiseman, Pam Detvay, Nancy Kingery, Dallas Burton, Reggie Valentino. TOP ROW: Tim Brown, Jim Spencer, Bob Sheldon, Ken Williams, Mr. Melton, Miss Benjamin, Charles Bell, Jim Wells, Mort Schlesinger, Annette Montpetite, Bob McAnnaly, Jackie Carr, Barbara Rayborn, Barbara Burton, Mark Eastwood.

ORCHESTRA MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Concert Mistress Jennifer Evans, Tom Smith, George Girman, David Williams. SECOND ROW: Fran Ecklund, Ron Volbrecht, Betty Freel, Sharon Barrix, Marty Lamski, Karen Sklanka, Pat Dovey, Janice Beckman. THIRD ROW: Linda Arthur, Carol Bowersox. TOP ROW: Susan Zaher, Mike Jackson.

Orchestra and Choir Members Keep Busy Schedule

Music resounded each day in the choir room during fourth hour. Hard work combined with the blending of voices to make the choir a favorite music group at Morton. Under the direction of Miss Barbara Miller, the choir performed at the annual spring and fall concerts and entertained in various assemblies and at commencement.

Several choir members were selected to participate in the new Honor Choir, formed by Miss Esther Waterbury, head of music instruction in Hammond. Also, choir members represented Morton at the district vocal contest and later at the state contest.

The choir's money-making project this year was a candy sale to buy new choir robes.

Orchestra members had a busy year, meeting regularly during fifth hour and, in their spare time, preparing for concerts, contests, and assemblies. Many orchestra members also belong to the band or play several different instruments.

To give their group an extra sparkle, orchestra members this year appeared in uniforms of black and white polished cotton.

Directed by Mr. Gregory, the growing group entered the state orchestra contest and accompanied the musical, **Babes in Toyland,** presented jointly by the music and drama departments in February.

In January the orchestra held a candy sale to raise money for orchestra equipment.

ORCHESTRA MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Kathy Mueller, Maureen Brenman, Paul Lewin. SECOND ROW: Eleanor Krughoff, Ruth Ann Smith, Elizabeth Arnold, Sue Reno, Jerry Weber, Linda White. THIRD ROW: Gene Misner, Betty Quinn. TOP ROW: Mr. Gregory, Bob Jamison, Wayne Gallimore, Rich Welsh, Rich Volbrecht.

Preparing for Concerts, Contests, and Assemblies

CHOIR MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: C. Shanta, C. Williams, E. Pittman, J. Rose, J. Virag, J. Quandt, M. Mosco, K. Gardner, J. Sankowski, N. Shadoan, C. Cowan, C. Smith, P. Hess, L. Stevens. SECOND ROW: F. Vintilla, J. Janssen, A. Crary, C. Toth, C. Brown, P. Williams, A. Knish, P. Dowling, J. Bales, D. Glegg, S. Cox, S. Buza, S. Martin. THIRD ROW: C. Link, C. Knight, J. Blumenhagen, L. Sherwinski, R. Starewsez, J. Kosic, T. Brown, R. Purdy, J. Clauson, C. Reinert, M. Popagain, D. Rudesill, K. Stanton, J. Farster. TOP ROW: M. Owens, P. Opperman, J. Halcarz, D. Ward, P. Bauck, L. Silagi, C. Bailor, J. Steele, B. Jamison, B. Sheldon, J. Silaghi, M. Rose, N. Lohse, C. Adams, J. Spencer. Choir members sang at concerts and assemblies.

Carillons, Swing Sixteen Entertain Governors

CARRILLONS are — BOTTOM ROW: Carol Blessing, Dorothy Ellis, Laura Bjorkland, Judy Freeman, Candy Hess. TOP ROW: Pat Laskowski, Terry Cooke, Eileen Bobin, Nancy Baasse, Ilene Balog. This group entertained for local groups and at concerts.

Two new vocal ensembles appeared at Morton this year. The Carillons, a group of ten girls picked from the Girls' Chorus and Girls' Glee Club, entertained at concerts and other school functions. The group received a first division rating at a vocal contest in Gary. At the same contest another new group, the Swing Sixteen, also won a first division rating. Members of the Swing Sixteen, chosen from the choir, entertained at political functions and various club meetings, as well as at school affairs.

The Boys' Chorus is the training ground group for boys wishing to become choir members. Here they are taught breath control, harmony, and other musical techniques.

Girls' Glee Club members practice breathing exercises and short drills designed to perfect their harmony and performance.

SWING SIXTEEN members are — BOTTOM ROW: F. Vintilla, J. Clauson, S. Buza. SECOND ROW: B. Sheldon, P. Williams, J. Virag, R. Purdy. THIRD ROW: J. Halcarz, C. Adams, C. Toth, L. Silaghi. TOP ROW: D. Ward, P. Opperman, C. Brown, P. Bauck.

GLEE CLUB members are — BOTTOM ROW: W. Goodson, L. Aker, D. Sheldon, C. Hess, K. Bell, S. Clark, J. Freeman. SECOND ROW: J. Zgunda, D. Rogus, G. Ywanow, P. Gardner, C. Blessing, L. Kern, D. Thatcher, S. Ingram. THIRD ROW: B. Sharpe, P. Kendzierski, P. Talmadge, N. Baasse, D. Puett, S. Katzberg, B. Thomas, I. Balog, P. Gray. TOP ROW: J. Lassiter, D. Kiraly, P. Pierson, K. Summerlot, C. Iliff, C. Olsen, D. Spray, G. Janney, B. Sasse. This year the group's name was changed to Girls Choir.

Girls' Glee Club, Boys' Chorus Display Musical Talents

BOYS' CHORUS members are — BOTTOM ROW: D. Chesney, D. Neiswinger, J. Sandor, B. Russel, B. Colbert, L. Jillson, T. Wolf, E. Pullo, T. Charette. SECOND ROW: K. Biro, K. White, D. Jacko, J. Frink, E. Kendzierski, J. Gerovac, G. Crosby, T. Luchene, W. White. THIRD ROW: T. Watson, J. Hooper, J. King, G. Cantwell, M. Pettis, D. Colbert, L. Wade, D. Mustoe, R. Ferrell, S. Orban. TOP ROW: J. McKern, B. Casey, W. Pelhank, N. Barkowski, E. Ellis, J. Kapciak, D. Koczur, F. Hendron, J. Bujwit, B. Chorba, D. Ellison.

'Camera Bug' Clubs Furnish Visual Aids

Handling the technical end of movies for assemblies and classes is the job of the Cinema Club. The club also furnishes sound tracks for various events and recorded music for school dances. Mr. Arthur Gibson, sponsor of the Cinema Club, instructs members on the methods of operating the various visual aid machines and supervises their activities.

The club showed movies of previous Washington trips for students who planned to go this year. It also showed films during lunch hours for a ten cent admission fee.

The Photo Club provides both the Top Hat and Mortonite staffs with pictures of school dances, games, and assemblies. Members also serve as photographers for a local newspaper. Under the supervision of Mr. Julian Rasmussen, members of the club learned to operate cameras, to recognize good subject matter, and to take good human interest, action, and posed shots.

Members also learn the procedure for developing photographs in Morton's darkroom and to use its equipment.

CINEMA CLUB MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Pres. R. Bromels, Sec. J. Beckman, Treas. S. Saksa, Sponsor Mr. Gibson. SECOND ROW: D. Townsend, P. Klopsch, A. Travis, R. Harrison, J. Blumenhagen, S. Stoddard, J. Hines, C. Pruitt, L. Sherwinski. THIRD ROW: D. Dorrance, D. Pleschak, D. Tall, D. Drangmeister, M. Matlock, G. Girman, J. Stevenson, J. Kelly, C. MacArthur, L. Tucker. FOURTH ROW: G. Glad, M. Black, D. VanLuL, R. Purdy, R. Deak. L. Wade, J. McKern, J. Dixon, J. Benkovich. TOP ROW: L. Gombus, T. Kulczyk, G. Taggert, B. Casey, D. Montgomery, C. Gholsen, J. Marley, W. Chappey, R. Long. Club members learned how to run projectors.

PHOTO CLUB members are — BOTTOM ROW: Sponsor Mr. Rasmussen, Sec. P. Phelps, Treas. J. Farster, V.-Pres. J. Weber, Pres. B. Gyurko. SECOND ROW: C. Biewenga, D. Howell, G. Austin, J. Clausen, J. Matrinetz, T. Rasmussen, J. Martin. THIRD ROW: B. McAnnally, C. Olsen, G. Cantwell, P. Laskowski, J. Blumenhagen. FOURTH ROW: K. Williams, R. Valentino, D. Rasmussen, D. Mattox, R. Long. TOP ROW: D. Smaron, M. Olsen, R. Goudge, L. Weber, J. White.

SR. Y.-TEENS MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: N. Shadoan, D. Bocken, D. Ruff, M. Randolph, W. Goodson, M. Eades, C. Emrah, P. Townsend, Sec. G. Wilks, Pres. K. Shanta, Sponsor Mrs. Bonebrake. SECOND ROW: C. Meyers, N. Erickson, S. Shanley, P. Mikula, J. Spencer, K. Oster, J. Savage, A. Fladeland, P. Mierzwa. THIRD ROW: M. Berrisford, J. Virag, C. Sarver, N. Toth, S. Relinski, N. Kingery, P. Gilson, S. Parrish, L. Foraker. FOURTH ROW: H. Czarnecki, L. Murphy, J. Janssen, P. Williams, B. Kovera, C. Hines, S. Freeman, L. Chorba, L. Ball.

Y-Teens Work Cooperatively for School and Community

Affiliated with the YWCA, the Junior and Senior Y-Teens help students to grow as individuals in a society of all races, religions, and nationalities. Realizing the individual's responsibility to the community, these clubs sponsored various activities during the year to help people. They also held money-making projects to support these activities.

The Junior Y-Teens, comprised of underclass girls, gave a Christmas party for the Bethany Home. They also held a bake sale in January to raise adequate funds.

The Senior Y-Teens, made up of junior and senior girls, made yarn dolls, pictures, and sandbags for a nursery home and various gifts for a home for the aged. The club also held its annual potato chip sale in March. Profits provided money to send next year's Senior Y-Teens president to a summer camp.

JUNIOR Y-TEENS MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Pres. K. Sklanka, V.-Pres. D. Burke, Sec. D. Briggs, Treas. M. White, Pub. Char. L. Munro. SECOND ROW: L. Chigas, B. Woerner, E. Krughoff, C. Meyer, R. Wells, L. Comforti, M. Tagliareni, C. Williams, THIRD ROW: P. Glover, B. Wing, J. Orahood, P. Bond, P. Kennard, K. Paganelli, K. Johnson. FOURTH ROW: T. Cooke, I. Bujaki, S. Graham, C. Carter, M. Yeomens, D. Nelson, P. Kendzierski. TOP ROW: B. Smith, B. Knoche, L. Press, C. Brown, J. Mizerik, L. Wing, V. Williams.

Students Explore Own and Foreign Languages

FRENCH CLUB members are — BOTTOM ROW: Pres. S. Zaher, Treas. K. Shanta, Sec. R. Baxley, V.-Pres. S. Cutler. SECOND ROW: K. Laviolette, B. Arnold, M. Smolen, S. Powers, L. Munro, J. Staffard, M. Waters, J. Jeneske, M. Henkhaus. THIRD ROW: B. Quinn, M. Van Atta, J. Harsany, P. Chrisney, J. Houchin, W. Johnson, J. Anderson, J. Bundy, S. Knaver, C. Cerglzan. TOP ROW: M. Ignazito, L. White, N. Scepkowski, P. Williams, M. Zlotnik, S. Berta, D. Fralinger, R. Ellison, J. White.

Trips to French restaurants and exhibits in Chicago and in other schools highlight the activities of the French Club. The bi-weekly meetings, which feature French films, French breakfasts, and speakers, are entertaining as well as educational. The entire meeting is conducted in French to improve language skills.

Activities such as a simulated German beer garden and bake sales not only add to the responsibilities of German club members but also provide a source of revenue for the club. German novels are bought for club members with these funds. Along with new ideas for the financing of this club library, German culture, literature and policies are discussed during the meeting. The highlight of the year was a trip to a German restaurant.

GERMAN CLUB MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Sponsor Mr. Jordan, Y. Pecelin, J. Hunt, S. Martin, Sec. K. Teegarden, Pres. L. Stout, Treas. J. Evans, V.-Pres. M. Miksich. SECOND ROW: G. Wiseman, J. Matrinetz, N. Quinn, P. Dovey. THIRD ROW: D. Messenger, J. Miner, D. Modjeski. FOURTH ROW: K. Stanton, M. Meicklin, B. Beilby, J. Cornelison. FIFTH ROW: L. Williams, K. Mueller, P. Laskowski. SIXTH ROW: J. Kiger, A. Knieriman, J. Permuda, J. Clauson. SEVENTH ROW: B. Abel, G. Hendricks, B. Sheldon. TOP ROW: M. Agnini, L. Smith, J. Wiseman, D. Burton.

Through Educational Trips, Activities, and Books

Spanish Club members found their year filled with various activities. Eating Spanish food at a Christmas party and visiting a Spanish restaurant, El Acapulco, were only a few. Money was obtained by sponsoring a dance in November and by holding a bake sale. In December they sent a basket of food to a needy Spanish family and sold Christmas mobiles. To aid them in reading the language, they bought Spanish novels. The club members decorated the language room for a more authentic atmosphere.

Organized primarily as a discussion group, the Library Club was concerned not only with literature and library affairs but also with world and student affairs. The purpose of the club is to help club members become aware of the problems surrounding them.

SPANISH CLUB members are divided into first and second year groups. Officers are — BOTTOM ROW: Treas. D. Dedelow (2). SECOND ROW: Sponsor Mrs. Marion (2), Sec. S. Golec (2), B. Zimmerman (2), V.-Pres. M. Mosko (1), Sec. M. Cunningham (1), Sponsor Mr. Baker (1). TOP ROW: V.-Pres. J. Glasgow (2), Sgts.-at-Arms S. Banka (2) and K. Bocken (2), Treas. D. Kiraly (1), Pres. P. Dowling (1).

LIBRARY CLUB members are — SEATED: E. Austin, T. Castro, H. Badovinac, R. Ortega, L. Bell, M. Myers, B. Miller, K. Laud. STANDING: C. Thompson, R. Sesny, J. Korba, R. Drake, D. O'Donnell, M. Popiela, P. Jusko, J. Wagner, J. Clauson, B. Sheldon, M. Agnini. Members learn library skills while being useful.

TRAVEL CLUB members are — BOTTOM ROW: M. Creekmore; C. Lee; M. Vandenbemden; Sec. B. Caldwell, Treas. P. Hess, V.-Pres. P. Guzis, Pres. R. Grenda. SECOND ROW: S. Lomax, L. Wing, B. Wing, L. LaSalle, L. Banas, S. Barrix, B. Woerner. THIRD ROW: B. Frink, C. Brown, M. Matlock, G. Andersen, J. Mihalic, G. Glad. TOP ROW: P. Detvay, B. Sheaks, R. Deak, R. Purdy, G. Bewley, S. Orban.

Organizations Encourage Thought, Sportsmanship, and

HISTORICAL CLUB members are — BOTTOM ROW: Doug Koliboski, Ray Drake. SECOND ROW: Dennis Dawson, Paul Piekarczyk, Jim Bardoczl, Jim Rospond. THIRD ROW: Sec. Brad Taylor, V.-Pres. Mike Popiela, Pres. Ralph Harrison. Though small, the club produced results.

Books, pictures, and maps are used to graphically describe the world for the Travel Club. Missionaries have given talks at club meetings, and films and slides were shown.

Historical Club members become aware of different phases of history. The major projects this year, a study of the history of Morton, was accomplished through oral history, a process in which impressions of people who participated in past events were recorded.

Solving problems of higher math proves to be both interesting and educational to members of the Math Club. The club is geared to improve the students' understanding of different phases of mathematics for use in everyday life both in high school and out.

Relaxation, the development of new game techniques and the promotion of sportsmanship are the main objectives of the Games Club. Every other Tuesday its members match their wits in a challenging game of chess.

MATH CLUB members who attempted to unravel snaggy problems are Larry Strayer, Bruce Daily, Drew Hiduke, John Keilman, Allen Nagy, Cliff Crownover, Sponsor Mr. Huls.

Integrity Through Study of History and Math

GAMES CLUB members are — BOTTOM ROW: D. Biro, P. Lewin, M. Paswinski, S. Boskovich, J. Shabi, J. Frink, J. Blumenhagen, J. DuFrain, J. Schmidt. TOP ROW: S. Sweeney, J. Lubarski, C. Hedinger, J. LaBuda, D. Bailey, R. Gincauskas, Sponsor Mr. Concialdi.

GIRLS' CLUB MEMBERS are — BOTTOM ROW: Pres. L. Wells, Sec. D. Krizman, Treas. B. Kern. SECOND ROW: L. Stevens, J. Williamson, L. Riley, J. Osborn. THIRD ROW: L. Kerr, L. Williams, J. Webster, S. Meding, D. Rosenberry, M. Lelito. FOURTH ROW: V. Staples, S. Stout, P. Gardner, S. Katzberg, S. Simon, B. Basso, V. Eaton. TOP ROW: I. Wells, J. Arvay, J. Stodgel, J. Bales, S. Allen, G. Guiden, C. Kubic.

Girls Strive for Betterment In Homemaking Clubs

Girls clubs at Morton are very active, helping their members learn while they assist others and enjoy themselves.

Gaining valuable experience in the field of home economics, the members of the Home Ec. Club organized various charity projects. During the Christmas holidays, they held a party at St. Anne's Home, served refreshments, and distributed gifts. They collected clothing for the Welfare Department of the Hammond Public Schools and food for the Carmelite Home in Crown Point. To finance their projects, the club sold candy.

The Girls' Club gives the feminine portion of Morton a chance for distinction. "Self-development" is the aim of this beneficial club. Members raised money for activities through a bake sale. They visited the Lake County Home for the Aged during the year and gave the senior club members a farewell banquet in the late spring.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB members are—BOTTOM ROW: Sec. B. Stryzinski, Pres. B. Kern, V. Pres. L. Holly. SECOND ROW: D. Bianucci, B. Barney, L. Echterling, S. Surufka, J. Diehl. THIRD ROW: C. Crosby, H. Badovinac, D. Havill, T. Oros. TOP ROW: L. Chapman, J. Boyles, B. Allen, L. Chorba. They held various charity functions.

Art Club Encourages Development of Natural Talent

ART CLUB MEMBERS are — SIDE ROW: Sponsor Mr. Waring, Pres. K. Becky, V.-Pres. E. Seno, L. Fabris. BOTTOM ROW: B. Markowski, D. Gaal, C. Carter, D. Dziadon. SECOND ROW: H. Holsclaw, D. Coapstick, P. Landfald, N. Chamberlain, T. Ruhs, T. Brouillette, C. Meyer. TOP ROW: H. Shock, A. Bishop, L. Weber, D. Strayer.

Thirty-six of Morton's aspiring artists found inspiration this year in the Art Club. Helping to develop talent, giving practice to regular art class students, and offering many interesting and educational activities, the club functioned through the creativity of its members.

One of the club's main projects in 1964 was the designing and making of decorations for the various holidays of the year. The coming of December turned the members' talent towards the making of Christmas tree ornaments out of cardboard cylinders. The finished products adorned many a Christmas tree. For Easter, cards were made from paper, string, glue, and paint.

Trips were also on the club's agenda. At a commercial art school students had an opportunity to begin plans for a career in art. Helpful advice and valuable information were given.

Old Town in Chicago was also toured by members of the club.

SCULPTING is only one of the many facets of art featured by the Art Club. Ralph Rhodes, junior, is cutting and shaping a ball into a sculpture of papier mache.

ATHLETICS

Athletics at Morton involve almost all Governors, not only through direct participation but also through the support of our teams. Physical fitness, emphasized in all phases of sports, is a watchword here. Physical education classes, coupled with opportunities to become active in athletics, assist pupils in becoming physically fit. The Governors' interest in health and sports helps make Morton what it is—
the Governors Mansion.

Exciting Victories Over Clark and E. C. Washington

VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM — BOTTOM ROW: J. Kocur, J. Barta, T. Eatinger, J. Summers, D. Hiduke, J. Jewett, G. Gruska, R. Barron, S. Banka. SECOND ROW: F. McCay, T. Basso, R. Berg, D. Hull, D. Rose, W. Capalby, D. Chaney, F. Coapstick, J. Andres, Mgr. G. Bagley. THIRD ROW: M. Harvey, J. Tomsic, J. Patai, J. Repay, K. Hyde, R. Hill, J. Pawlak, D. Starewicz, K. Jazyk. FOURTH ROW: L. Bogner, D. Navarro, B. Chorba, B. Florence, R. Segraves, M. Curtis, T. Paskevich, C. Watts, J. Sherer, Mgr. T. Kallok. TOP ROW: Coach Luketic, Coach Zlotnik, Mgr. E. Rosenau, L. Chaney, R. Howerton, D. Ward, P. Ropac, B. Roach, W. Thompson, T. Hopman.

HALTING THE PROGRESS of a Tech Tiger at the line of scrimmage are Jim Tomsic (27) and Mike Curtis (53). Doug Starewicz (63) watches the action, ready to assist.

With nine returning lettermen, Morton's 1963 varsity football team "took a year off" from state competition to rebuild.

Opening the season with a decisive 27-6 victory over cross-town rival Hammond Clark, the Governors flashed much of the power and finesse which placed them among the top Hoosier teams in previous years. The next week, however, the Morton football machine came to a sudden halt when a powerful Hammond Tech team downed them, 32-6, the second loss in the last 20 Governor starts.

The third week of play saw the Governors and Fort Wayne South battle to an 0-0 deadlock.

Whiting scored an upset the following week with a 6-0 victory. Bishop Noll, one of the strongest Calumet Region teams, dampened Morton's homecoming with a 13-0 win. E. C. Roosevelt, a perennial state power, downed the hard-fighting Governors for their third consecutive loss the next week, 27-6.

Mark Path of Varsity Rebuilding Season

EYEING THE GOAL LINE with intent, Morton fullback Floyd Coapstick heads upfield to gain yardage and a possible first down during the Clark game.

1963 VARSITY FOOTBALL RECORD

Morton		Opponent
27	Hammond Clark	6
6	Hammond Tech	32
0	Fort Wayne South	0
0	Whiting	6
0	Bishop Noll	13
6	East Chicago Roosevelt	27
6	South Bend Adams	7
0	Hammond High	7
-	*Gary Tolleston	-
33	E. C. Washington	18

* Cancelled

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

	T.D.'s	P.A.T.	Total Pts.
Patai	3	-	18
Capalby	2	-	12
Summers	2	-	12
Banka	1	-	6
Coapstick	-	6	6
Hull	1	-	6
Hyde	1	-	6
Ropac	1	-	6
Tomsic	1	-	6
Total	13	6	78

TWO MORTON GOVERNORS scramble for an E. C. Roosevelt fumble after throwing the Roosevelt ball carrier for a loss. The Governors lost a hard-fought battle, 27-6.

WEARY GOVERNORS take a breather at halftime of the South Bend Adams game as coaches Maurey Zlotnik and Nick Luketic plan second-half strategy. The Governors led 6-0 for three quarters but lost with a 7-6 decision in the fourth quarter.

Strategy, Planning Aid Governor Offense

Inexperience proved to be Morton's major handicap in 1964; a green team's first six games yielded a poor 1-4-1 record.

Although close decisions snatched "sure wins" from the Governors' grasp in the closing minutes of contests, the engineering of offensive plays and the training of a young defensive squad developed potential.

South Bend Adams, Morton's seventh opponent of the year, defeated the Governors by a close 7-6 score. However, Morton led into the final seconds of the fourth quarter.

The following week Morton battled Hammond High's top-ranked crew "down to the wire." Deep in Wildcat territory late in the game, the Governors were forced to give the ball to Hammond on their 3-yard line, thus losing 7-0 to the highly rated team.

Because of heavy rain, the upcoming game with Gary Tolleston was cancelled. Morton then went on to win over E. C. Washington.

SOPHOMORE QUARTERBACK Darrel Chaney listens intently as backfield coach Nick Luketic gives the young Governor instructions during the E. C. Washington game. Morton won the season finale with a score of 33-18.

Governor B-Team Flashes Power With 5-0 Record

1963 B-TEAM FOOTBALL RECORD

Morton		Opponent
34	Hammond Clark	0
12	Hammond Tech	0
7	E. C. Washington	0
13	Hammond High	0
12	Hammond Gavit	7

RUGGED PRACTICES such as this one paid off for Morton's B-Team. The team tallied its third straight undefeated season with five wins and no losses.

1963 FOOTBALL B-TEAM — BOTTOM ROW: J. Pawlak, J. Gasvoda, D. Coapstick, R. Berg, T. Kulczyk, B. Matthews, D. Hiduke, S. Saksa, R. Grenda, R. Biscan. SECOND ROW: Coach Gollner, V. Blair, J. Andres, R. Race, B. Brandenburg, J. Hlavaty, J. Gerovac, R. Segraves, M. Mestrovich, T. Anderson, M. Harvey. TOP ROW: Mgr. J. Mikel, T. Basso, L. Bognar, B. Doughman, J. Kocur, T. Paskevich, M. Barta, B. Chorba, J. Sherer, T. McCay, K. Bocken Mgr. T. Kallok.

1963 FRESHMAN FOOTBALL TEAM — BOTTOM ROW: B. Harvey, F. Matthews, F. Shinkle, D. Koliboski, S. Vadas, J. Jarosz, T. Hurd, F. Padilla, E. Johnson, J. Finley, Mgr. C. Adams. SECOND ROW: D. Hoffman, G. Crosby, R. Drummond, J. Fozkos, T. Luchene, R. Drake, J. Bogner, J. Rospond, J. Pawlak, J. Bardoczi. TOP ROW: Coach Gerogas, J. Francis, R. Volbrecht, B. Scheffer, D. Barron, L. Sunde, K. Bastasich, D. Mustoe, C. Skorupa, T. George, J. Martin, Coach Osborn.

Frosh End Year 7-0, Hold Six Opponents Scoreless

1963 FRESHMAN FOOTBALL RECORD

Morton		Opponent
14	E. C. Washington	0
20	Hammond Tech	0
14	Hammond High	0
18	Hammond Gavit	13
19	Bishop Noll	0
32	Hammond Clark	0
14	E. C. Washington	0

Averaging over eighteen points per game, the Morton frosh team out-manuevered its opponents to end the season with a perfect 7-0 record. The main asset of the freshman team this year was its defense, which held all opposing teams to a meager total of 13 points.

Consecutive shutout victories over E. C. Washington, Hammond Tech, and Hammond High were followed by a fourth victory over Hammond Gavit, the only team to score on the Governor yearlings. Then came three more shutouts over Bishop Noll, Hammond Clark, and E. C. Washington (two games were scheduled with Washington).

With six shut-out victories in seven games the Morton freshman team showed promise of performing the same feat two years from now as the varsity football squad.

City championships have graced the annals of Morton's frosh football squads for quite a few years, and it is hoped that this same incentive for victory can propel the varsity to new and better successes in the future.

X-Country Efforts Build Strength and Stamina

NEARING THE FINISH LINE, junior Lenny Meseberg strains in a final sprint against Highland. Despite a leg injury, Meseberg finished ahead of his opponent.

1963 X-COUNTY RECORD

Morton		Opponent
26	Hammond Tech	29
32	T. F. North	25
3rd	Hammond City Meet	—
29	Hammond Clark	26
40	T. F. South	17
41	Griffith	17
31	Highland	24
—	Bishop Noll*	—
3rd	City Freshman Meet	—
tie (5th)	Tri-City Meet (frosh-soph meet)	—
18	Whiting	41
21	Gavit	34

* cancelled

1963 CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM — BOTTOM ROW: J. Hooper, B. Salach, J. Korba, D. Biro, B. Kohler, G. Bewley, S. Decker, A. Leslie, A. Nagy, L. Eaton. SECOND ROW: P. Guzis, B. Hoffman, B. Taylor, G. Sawyer, J. Gerovac, L. Busby, D. Chesney, B. Skamay, C. Crownover. THIRD ROW: R. Volbrecht, G. Girman, G. Gladd, T. O'Brien, L. Meseberg. TOP: Coach DePeugh. These thinlies built a reputation of stamina and speed.

1963-64 VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM — TEAM MEMBERS: Z. Rybicki, K. Bocken, L. Stout, T. Anderson, J. Repay, B. Imborek, D. Chaney, S. Banka, J. Gasvoda, L. Lee, M. Miksich, T. Hopman, Coach DePeugh, Assistant Coach Stout, and Mgr. E. Rosenau.

Varsity Roundballers

ATTEMPTING to get in better position and to set up a clear shot, senior Bob Imborek dribbles past a Whiting defender. This game resulted in Morton's first victory.

"FLY BIRD, FLY!" yells the crowd as Morton's tall center Tom (Bird) Hopman launches a shot against Chicago Dunbar. Even though the Governors came out on the short end of the score, a close game provided a moral victory.

"IT'S MINE!" says sophomore Darrel Chaney as he keeps the ball from a Dunbar player. The Governors started hot but had a cold third quarter, losing to the Mighty Men from Chicago by a 67-63 score.

LEAPFROG OR BASKETBALL? Larry Lee and this Red Streak seem to be playing a game of leapfrog during the Terre Haute Wiley game. The Governors played a strong first half before surrendering to the downstate foe, 67-55.

Start Slow but End Season With Winning Streak

New Year's marked the beginning of the Morton basketball upsurge. Through the constant and diligent efforts of the team and coaches alike, the Governors showed flashes of greatness in their post-New Year contests. With improved scoring punch and an aggressive, "ballhawking" defense, the Governor cagers made the Calumet area fans sit up and take notice.

Following a close loss to high-scoring Gary Edison, the team bombed Griffith with senior Tom Hopman scoring a season high of 36 points. Next came a tough loss to a rugged downstate foe, Terre Haute Wiley, and an inspiring victory over Gary Lew Wallace.

In their next game, the Governors broke loose a 12-point lead against Chicago Dunbar in the first quarter before the "windy citians" took the contest by just two baskets. Then an encouraging winning streak was started with Highland, Gary Wirt, and Hammond Clark falling to Morton's consistently tenacious offense and defense.

"TAKE IT EASY!" yells Coach DePeugh in a tense moment in the Highland game. The Governors scored an upset over the Trojans from Highland with a 57-47 victory.

Hard Work on Defense Proves Aid to Varsity Cagers

"LET'S GO!" shout Governor reserves as Morton's varsity performs during the Highland game. Both fans and team showed Governor spirit and sportsmanship in this victory.

LEAVING THE LAST Griffith defender behind, sophomore Jim Gasvoda gets in perfect position for a lay-up shot and two points for Morton. Morton won, 65-42.

1963-64 VARSIGN BASKETBALL RECORD

MORTON		OPPONENT
51	Michigan City	87
77	Whiting	57
48	LaPorte	71
68	Bishop Noll	76
59	Hammond Tech	63
55	South Bend St. Joseph	56
64	E. C. Roosevelt	56
49	*E. C. Washington	62
45	*Michigan City	77
68	Gary Edison	76
65	Griffith	47
55	Terre Haute Wiley	67
70	Gary Lew Wallace	65
63	Chicago Dunbar	67
57	Highland	47
67	Gary Wirt	56
64	Hammond Clark	48
72	Hobart	57
58	Hammond High	54
64	Gary Roosevelt	106
46	**Hammond Tech	57
1265		1352

* East Chicago Washington Toliday Tourney
** Sectional Tournament

ROUGH ACTION characterized Morton's 11-point loss to Tech in the Hammond Sectional. Here leading scorer Tom Hogman and an unknown Tiger attempt to secure the ball.

DURING THE MORTON-TECH contest in the Hammond Sectionals, Tom Hopman, Morton center, reaches high to drop in another two points for Morton. Tech won, 57-46.

"HIGH-FLYING" CENTER Tom Hopman attempts another basket during the tense Morton-Hammond High game. A spirited rally led the Governors to a 58-54 victory.

Late-Season Winning Streak Boosts Team Spirit

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

	Points	Average Per Game	Shooting Percentage	Rebounds
Hopman	456	21.71	.549	224
Banka	254	12.09	.436	83
Imborek	158	7.90	.491	30
Chaney	163	7.76	.413	40
Gasvoda	60	4.00	.278	69
Lee	74	3.89	.429	69
Repay	51	3.19	.432	25
Rybicki	26	1.30	.563	4
Anderson	18	1.00	.400	25
Bocken	5	0.50	.333	2
Stout	2	0.15	.500	2
Team	1267	60.33	.470	573

JUNIOR FORWARD Steve Banka lays-up a hook shot for two more points against Whiting. Through precise defense and accurate shooting, the Governors earned a victory.

B-Team Cagers Look Forward to Varsity Positions

1963-64 B-TEAM BASKETBALL TEAM — FRONT ROW: T. O'Brian, R. Ward, D. Hull, T. Sumner, P. Scott, R. Volbrecht. BACK ROW: P. Svabik, E. Wells, J. Tomsic, D. Ward, M. Mestrovich, T. Ruhs, Coach Stout. The team posted 8 victories against 12 losses.

1963-64 B-TEAM BASKETBALL RECORD

MORTON		OPPONENT
44	Michigan City	51
54	Whiting	27
46	LaPorte	44
43	Bishop Noll	53
36	Hammond Tech	34
40	South Bend St. Joseph	48
50	E. C. Roosevelt	55
53	*Hammond High	51
33	*Hammond Clark	58
50	Gary Edison	52
44	Griffith	50
58	Whiting	47
42	Gary Lew Wallace	57
46	**Chicago Dunbar	44
44	Highland	42
51	Gary Wirt	45
39	Hammond Clark	41
33	Hobart	62
29	Hammond High	44
26	Gary Roosevelt	71
861	Total	976

*B-Team Tournament

** Overtime

EXCITING B-TEAM ACTION preceded varsity play in most of Morton's games this year. Here Zbig Rybicki battles a Griffith Panther for a jump ball as his teammates watch.

1963-64 FRESHMAN BASKETBALL RECORD

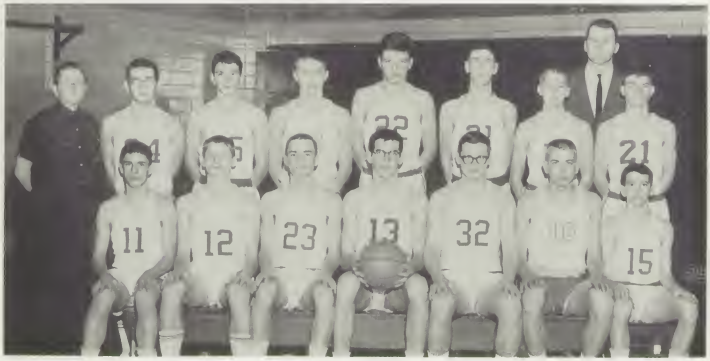
MHS		OPPONENT
44	*Whiting	42
42	Bishop Noll	38
27	Hammond High	38
38	E. C. Roosevelt	48
25	E. C. Washington	54
40	Hammond Clark	42
40	Lanier (Munster)	28
32	Hammond Tech	28
30	E. C. Roosevelt	46
50	Hammond Gavit	37
31	Bishop Noll	39
30	E. C. Washington	55
61	**Hammond Gavit	39
32	**E. C. Roosevelt	34
520	Total	538

* Overtime
** Tournament

FRESHMAN CENTER Mark Harvey eyes the basket as he takes careful aim for a free throw attempt.

Freshmen Cagers Aim for Athletic Prowess at MHS

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL TEAM — BOTTOM ROW: M. Guiden, R. Volbrecht, D. Mustoe, M. Harvey, E. Johnson, B. Scheffer, D. Berard. TOP ROW: Mgr. C. Adams, R. Drummond, J. Fozkos, J. Rospond, D. Koliboski, J. Keilman, R. Skamay, Coach Jancich, D. Chesney. The young team posted a 6-8 record.



Grapplers Tackle Foes, End Season 6-7

1963-64 VARSITY WRESTLING TEAM — BOTTOM ROW: B. Salach, B. Matthews, P. Klopsch, T. Kerr, D. DuVall, T. Eaton. SECOND ROW: J. Andres, W. Capalby, J. McCay, J. Sherer, R. Estep, J. Jewett. TOP ROW: Coach Kepler, R. Tyler, K. White, Mgr. T. Kallok, B. Zerby, B. Rakos, K. Hyde, Coach Gollner. The season record was 6-7.

REFUSING TO GIVE IN to efforts of this Highland grappler, senior Wayne Capalby nears a pin in one of Morton's seven victories. Tough wrestling such as this made for an interesting and rugged season.

Morton's 1963-64 wrestling team started the season off right by romping over E. C. Washington, 56 to 0. Led by the fine coaching of Mr. Gollner and Mr. Kepler, the wrestling team won 6 of 13 matches, beating E. C. Washington, Highland, Bishop Noll, Gary Andrean, Hammond Clark, and Merrillville. The Governors lost close decisions to Hammond High, Gary Mann, E. C. Roosevelt, and Hammond Tech.

Since Morton's regular season schedule ended one week before sectionals, Coach Gollner decided to "drum up" some action rather than wait for sectionals to begin. The result was Morton's First Annual Invitational Tournament. Four teams — Morton, Gary Andrean, Bishop Noll, and Hammond Gavit — competed in the tournament.

Coach Gollner felt that dual meets were not sufficient to prepare wrestlers for sectionals and that larger meets offered more of the needed competition for top-notch wrestling.

The First Annual Invitational Tournament proved to be a success as the Governors took their four opponents and all team honors.

1963-64 B-TEAM WRESTLING RECORD

MORTON		OPPONENT
8	Evergreen Park	48
27	Highland High	25
16	Hammond High	31
13	Gary Andrean	43
38	Lowell	18
19	E. C. Roosevelt	31
13	Hammond Tech	34
36	Hammond Clark	18

VARSITY WRESTLERS Jim Jewett, John Pawlak, Larry Bogner, and Ron Estep go through a practice match. The team practices on the stage of the auditorium because of the crowded conditions in the gymnasium.

Matmen Take All Honors in Invitational Tournament

1963-64 B-TEAM WRESTLING TEAM — BOTTOM ROW: L. Bogner, J. Pawlak, D. Hiduke, J. Bogner, C. Skorupa, D. Sickles, F. McCay. TOP ROW: Mgr. R. Rich, B. Hoffman, D. Bailey, F. Matthews, F. Padilla, G. Girman, D. Coppage, C. Pruitt, Coach Kepler.

Pitching, Defense Guide Governor Baseballers to

VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM members were — BOTTOM ROW: Mgr. C. Adams, J. Shabi, W. Capalby, B. Van Gorp, D. Ward, B. Segally, D. Chaney, D. Rose, Z. Rybicki. MIDDLE ROW: Mgr. E. Rosenau, K. Hyde, J. Ferguson, L. Chaney, B. Zimmerman, B. Biscan, K. Bocken, Mgr. G. Bagley. TOP ROW: Coach Jancich, T. Mears, T. Sumner, D. Hull, R. Volbrecht, T. O'Brien, D. Bailey, W. Popiela, J. Repay, Coach Georgas.

Morton's 1964 baseball team promised to compile an outstanding record. A history of winning seasons has put the Governors among the top teams in the region and state. With 80 wins and only 27 defeats over a seven-year period, Coach Georgas's teams have repeatedly won the city championship.

Last year's baseball team won city supremacy by compiling an incredible 18-1-1 record. Coach Georgas stated, "Being independent, the only thing we can shoot for is the city title. That was the case last year."

Senior catcher Ken Hyde, who bats near .400, returned from the 1963 team. Bob VanGorp, senior, and junior Dan Hull were the two starting pitchers in most of the games.

Reserve depth in the pitching staff came from junior right-hander Don Ward and Darrell Chaney, a three-sport star who was the only sophomore to make the team. Chaney, although slated for shortstop, showed promise for a future on the mound.

DURING THE GARY WIRT GAME senior Wayne Capalby fields the ball. Besides aiding the team with outstanding outfielding, Wayne also made two hits. Morton won 7-1.

Sixth Straight Winning Season on the Diamond

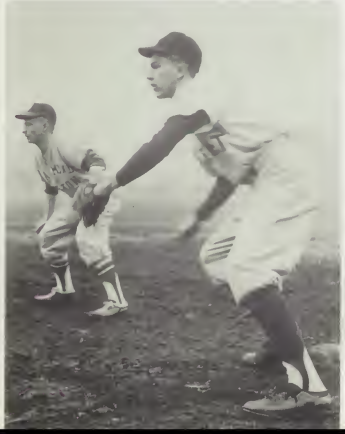
VARSITY BASEBALL RECORD

MORTON		OPPONENTS
5	*Griffith	1
11	Highland	4
1	Merrillville	2
4	Crown Point	1
5	Hammond Clark	1
12	Hammond Tech	2
2	E. C. Roosevelt	2
5	Hammond High	1
3	Whiting	2
9	Bishop Noll	0
2	Calumet	1
3	Bishop Noll	2
2	Merrillville	0
10	Hobart	1
5	Gary Roosevelt	4
5	*E. C. Washington	0
4	T. F. South	1
10	Bishop Noll	1
2	T. F. North	0
2	Hammond Clark	1

* No Hitters

SENIOR PITCHER Bob Van Gorp attempts a bunt in a moment of high action during one of Morton's home games. alert maneuvers aided Morton to a 18-1-1 record. record.

THIRD BASEMAN Tim Sumner readies for a steal in the Morton-E. C. Roosevelt contest. One of only two games which Morton did not win, this game ended in a 2-2 tie.



KEEPING IN SHAPE for the first game of the season, senior Jim Ferguson fields the ball during a spring practice session. Jim took cver second-baseman's duties this year.

HEADING FOR HOME PLATE senior Ken Hyde is about to score another point for the Governors against Gary Wirt, in the first game of Morton's baseball season.

SENIOR PITCHER Bob VanGorp takes advantage of a warm spring day to limber up his throwing arm. Spring practices like this kept the team members in shape.

Governor Nine Seeks Fourth Consecutive City Title

Victory was the word during the 1963 Morton varsity baseball campaign, as the Governors won 18, lost 1, and tied 1. Led by some strong pitching and excellent fielding, Morton downed Griffith and Highland in the first two games.

Following a heart-breaking loss at Merrillville, the Governors settled down to seventeen straight games without defeat. Hammond Clark, Hammond High, Bishop Noll (three times), Gary Roosevelt, E. C. Washington, and Crown Point were among the most respected teams in the Calumet Region beaten by Morton's crew.

Morton fans were gratified to see a victory over Merrillville later in the season which avenged the team's earlier loss. The Governors compiled 102 runs in 20 games and held all opposition to a mere 27 runs for an average score of 5 to 1 for the season's games.

SENIOR FIRST-BASEMAN Bob Segally leaps skyward for a hardhit ball during one of the Governors' baseball practices. Such practices contributed to a successful season.

Cinderfellas Chalk Up Another Successful Year

1964 VARSITY TRACK TEAM was — FRONT ROW: M. Curtis, L. Sunde, B. Matthews, B. Salach, B. Muller, R. Estep, L. Meseberg, T. Eatinger, J. Tomsic, A. Nagy. BACK ROW: R. Volbrecht, P. Scott, J. Krucina, B. Casey, R. Sherwinski, B. Taylor, J. Summers, K. Pierson, J. Hlavaty, B. Abel, G. Bewley, Coach Luketic.

VARSITY TRACK RECORD

MHS		OPPONENT
65 1/2	Bishop Noll (indoor)	34 1/2
2nd	City Indoor	—
67 1/6	Hammond Tech	41 5/6
**	Hammond Clark	—
38	Hammond High	71
46	E. C. Roosevelt	13 1/2
46	Horace Mann	59
4th	Hammond Relays	—
68 1/2	E. C. Washington	40 1/2
94 1/2	Highland	14 1/2
64	Lew Wallace	31
64	Michigan City	42
4th	Sectionals	—
4th	City Outdoor	—

** Cancelled

BROAD JUMPER junior Bob Hoffman leaps across the sand pit while practicing to improve his broad jumping mark during a track and field practice session behind the school.

Tracksters Run Hard, Jump High for Winning Season

Morton's Varsity Track Team fought its way to a respectable 7-6 record along with three of four dual-meet victories. The Governors began the season with a win over Bishop Noll and a second place in the City Indoor Meet.

Following a victory over Hammond Tech, the Governors lost to the fleet runners of Hammond High. As the season wore on, it became apparent that Morton would probably not be an area power, but Governor fans were presented with victories over such teams as East Chicago Washington, Highland, Gary Lew Wallace, and Michigan City.

Seniors Bob Salach, miler; Ron Estep, 440-yard dash expert; and Bob Muller, half-miler, were outstanding members of the 1964 track team. Bob Salach was timed at 4:50 in the mile and Ron Estep at 52.7 in the 440-yard dash.

John Gerovac, junior, turned in some respectable times this spring in the half-mile dash. Outstanding freshman prospect was Ron Volbrecht who high jumped 5' 8".

STRAINING TO CLEAR a low hurdle, junior Tom Eatinger concentrates on his form. Teammates watch as the Governor trackman attempts to attain perfection in hurdling.

UP AND OVER goes high-jumper Paul Scott during one of Morton's strenuous track practices. Sessions such as this characterized this year's track season.

SENIOR SHOT-PUTTER Ron Hill proves that running is not the only activity engaged in by Governor trackmen. Here he launches a seven-pound "missile" into "orbit."

B-TEAM TRACK — FRONT ROW: D. Mustoe, M. Kearschner, D. Hinsley, P. Skager, A. DeLau, S. Mecyssne, D. Berard, L. Sunde, T. Rich, G. Crosby, M. Popiela, R. Skamay, E. Kendzierdski, J. Francis. BACK ROW: Mgr. C. Ballor, D. Messenger, D. Biro, F. Shinkle, R. Schwartz, S. Vadas, B. Kohler, R. Rich, R. Volbrecht, D. Koliboski, J. Clapp, W. Harvey, D. Chesney, C. Skorupa, M. Wargo, T. Anderson, K. White, J. Spencer, Coach Luketic.

Frosh - Soph Honors Go to B-Team Trackmen

JOGGING AROUND THE TRACK to keep in condition are juniors Brad Taylor and Joe Korba and senior Bob Salach as they display the stamina which won many meets.

"ONE FOR THE MONEY . . ." says junior Tom Eatinger as he starts seniors Bob Muller and Jay Summers, who are preparing to "take off" on a sprint during track practice.

VARSITY GOLF TEAM ARE — W. Reinhardt, D. Meding, G. Tiller, G. Smith, G. Chansler, R. Welsh, Coach Evans, T. Luchene. Jack Overman and Tom Smock are not shown.

Golfers Wield Clubs, Tee Off Another Season

"FORE!" shouts senior Jack Overman as he tees off during one of Morton's golf matches. Teammates Glen Tiller and Tom Smock observe while waiting to begin.

VARSITY GOLF RECORD

Morton		Opponent
200	Bishop Noll	188
200	Highland	209
175	Dyer Central	163
175	Hammond Clark	172
194	Highland	184
194	Hammond Tech	184
180	Crown Point	192
182	Bishop Noll	169
182	Dyer Central	200
179	Bishop Noll	177
181	Gary Wallace	175
181	Crown Point	182
173	Griffith	155
173	Hammond High	179
188	Bishop Noll	170
188	Hammond Clark	195
187	Crown Point	177
184	Merrillville	168
177	Hammond Clark	181
177	Hammond High	179
195	Gary Roosevelt	200
173	Hammond High	174
169	Griffith	167
169	Hobart	175

Physical Fitness Stressed by Morton's G. A. A.

MEMBERS participating in G.A.A. this past year include — BOTTOM ROW: Pres. K. Macey, V.-Pres. D. Ruff, Sec. B. Miller, Treas. M. Nelson, Sponsor Miss Hall. SECOND ROW: B. Chess, S. Martin. B. Dye, D. Timer, B. Gasaway, B. Raibourn. THIRD ROW: C. Daun, M. Kosik, L. Williams, D. Rogus, K. Klebofski. TOP ROW: D. Kozdras, K. Argadine, M. Burkland, P. Hlavaty, P. Williams, C. Stanley.

Basketball, baseball, soccer and kickball are a few of the many sports in which Morton's Girls' Athletic Association engages. This club meets daily during eighth hour in the girls' gym where the 21 members learn the rules and skills of sports varying from volleyball to horseshoes.

A point system provides impetus for enterprising members. A member receives ten points for each organized activity and five for each unorganized activity. Numbered among the latter are bicycle-riding, swimming, bowling, ice skating, skiing, and archery. When a member earns 150 points, she receives her choice of a red felt letter "M" or numerals. For 250 points a member receives a chenille letter. With 350 or more points, a member receives a handsome engraved plaque; senior Kazia Macey has received one.

Each May a district camp is offered for members at an area campsite, where they learn the value of competition, sportsmanship, and cooperation. Each October Morton's G.A.A. officers spend a few days at a special officers' camp learning new ways to aid their organization.

ALL EYES ARE "GLUED" to the ball as Debby Ruff and Kazia Macey prepare to leap for the tip in a G.A.A. basketball game. Members took part in many other sports.

Morton Cheerleaders and Twirlers Add Color,

Ramona Crowe

Varsity Cheerleaders

Morton's varsity cheerleaders gave to sports events spirit and sportsmanship that provided partial victories even when the team was unsuccessful. They often practiced long hours after school to perfect new cheers for approaching games and assemblies.

In order to buy a new set of uniforms this year, the cheerleaders sold raffle tickets at the fall pep rally and held a bake sale.

Mary Lynn Waters

Joanne Frye

Judy Jeneske

B-TEAM CHEERLEADERS are — Barbara Frye, Nancy Creekmore, Gayle Ywanow, Ellen Hawking, Linnea Furman, and Lenore Brandenburg.

Spirit to Basketball and Football Contests

Half-time activities at football and basketball games were highlighted by the excellent showmanship of the Morton twirlers. Under the direction of Mrs. John Melton, girls ranging from freshman to seniors, practiced daily to perfect routines and skits which added to the color of sports activities. These girls participated in various local, district and state contests, bringing honors to Morton.

At football games the twirlers performed along with the marching band directed by Mr. John Melton and were led onto the field by drum major Jerry Weber. When basketball season arrived so did the twirlers, as they entertained Governor fans at intermission of home basketball games. The twirlers performed their routines at basketball games with music provided by Morton's pep band.

PERFORMING FOR HALF-TIME at a home football game, Morton's senior drum major Jerry Weber added color to sport contests.

MORTON'S TWIRLERS are — BOTTOM ROW: J. Bakker, B. Bakker, K. Stanton, B. Gallimore, M. Berrisford, A. Crary. BACK ROW: B. Bakker, M. Johnson, S. Meding, M. Vandenbemden, S. Bewley, M. Sheldon.

FRESHMAN CHEERLEADERS are — Mary Lou Sheldon, Diane Burke, Kathy Cergizan, Mary Lou Russell, Ardis Kaufman, Lois Hopp, Joanne Makowski. Center: mascot Cocoa Bocken, toy poodle.

PEOPLE

All organizations and institutions depend on the support of people for their existence. Members of a club must support their club if it is to continue, for they themselves are the body and spirit of the organization. Neither can any school exist without the support of its students. The student body constitutes the life blood of an educational institution like Morton. In a sense, the Governors own Morton. This is their school, and as its most important components they are proud of it. Their pride and presence helps make Morton what it is—
the Governors' Mansion.

Outstanding Seniors Receive Honors

RANKING TOP in the graduating Class of 1964 were Helen Holsclaw, salutatorian, and Rita Sherer, valedictorian.

D.A.R. AWARD WINNER, chosen for outstanding leadership, patriotism, service, and dependability, was Sue Zaher.

SENIOR EXECUTIVE BOARD members are SEATED: Sponsor Mr. Moorehead, H. Shock, R. Sherer, A. Dixon, P. Dodd, H. Holsclaw, S. Reno, B. Pruitt, Sponsor Mrs. Petterson. STANDING: L. Gombus, J. Cain, J. Poczatek, D. Johnston, S. Golec, R. McCrea, C. Wood, E. Moffett, W. Pelhank, G. Bishop, C. Kolwicz, C. Hines.

and Awards in Varied Fields of Endeavor

1964 brought laurels to the seniors and their school. Many students excelling in various fields received honors and awards.

The DAR Award is given to one student who has superior knowledge of government and history. Susan Zaher, recipient of the award, competed with other winners for the county award.

Outstanding boys and girls were selected to attend Boys' State and Girls' State for one week in the summer preceding their senior year to study our government. Representatives from the Class of 1964 were Harry Shock, Bob Mitchell, Jack Overman, Willie Ruff, Judy Finley, Linda Foster, and Colleen Wood.

Seniors ranked first and second scholastically were Rita Sherer and Helen Holsclaw. The top "Five Percent" was: Sue Britt, Judy Finley, Linda Foster, Bill Hunziker, Carolyn Knight, Barbara Kovera, Bob Mitchell, Gene Misner, Sue Reno, Sandy Stone, Colleen Wood, and Susan Zaher.

Helen Holsclaw, Colleen Wood, and Russ Barron became National Merit finalists.

Senior Executive Board members, selected from homerooms, planned senior activities.

FINALISTS in the National Merit program — seniors Russ Barron, Helen Holsclaw, and Colleen Wood — make an unofficial visit to the courtyard bird feeder.

THE THREE DELEGATES to Hoosier Girls' State from Morton were Linda Foster, Colleen Wood, and Judy Finley.

REPRESENTING MORTON at Hoosier Boys' State were Jack Overman, Harry Shock, Willie Ruff, and Bob Mitchell.

Seniors Look Back On the Events of Past Four

This year climaxed the events of each senior's high school career. For the class of 1964 it was a year filled with unforgettable memories.

Seniors started planning activities soon after school began. They wore senior cords, were measured for caps and gowns, and chose announcement cards to complete their last year at the Governor's Mansion.

Homecoming and the Inaugural Ball followed by the Winter Formal were the first big social events. The Has-Been Will-Be Game came and went. As a close to their social activities, the class enjoyed the Spring Play, the Senior Banquet, and Senior Week. The Jr.-Sr. Prom, "Sea Mist," climaxed every senior's last year and was a wonderful farewell tribute.

PRESIDING OVER and leading the senior class are Secretary Barb Stryzinski, Veep Paul Lewin, and President Jim Ferguson.

JOYCE ANN ALEXANDER

Association (House 1-4); Booster Club 1; Cheerleader 1; Government Club 4; JRC 1; Monitor 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Tacher's Ass't. 3.

ELIZABETH ANN ARNOLD

Band 1-4; Debate Club 1, 2; Forensics Club 1, 2; French Club 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Tutor Club (V.-P. 3, 4).

MARY BAKKER

JANET LORRAINE BALES

Choir 2-4; FNC 1, 2; GAA 1; Girls' Club 2-4; Girls Glee Club 1; Monitor 3.

PEGGY ANN SUE BANOVICH

FNC 1-4; Monitor Lieut. 3, 4; Clinic Helper 2, 3; Typing Practice 3, 4.

NORB BARKOWSKI

RUSSELL JAMES BARRON

Art Club 1; Association (Senate 3); Debate Club 2; Football 1-4; Jr. Exec. Board 3; M-Club (Sec. 4); NFL 2-4; Photo Club 1, 2 (Pres. 2); Spanish Club 1-4 (Pres. 2; V. P. 3); Student Center Host 3; Wrestling 1, 2.

BETTY ANN BASSO

Booster Club 1; Girls' Club 2-4; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1; Teacher's Ass't. 4; Theater Guild 4.

KATHLEEN MARION BECKY

Art Club 3, 4 (Pres. 4); Booster Club 1, 2; GAA 1; Government Club 2; Monitor 2, 3; TOP HAT Salesman 1, 3; Typing Practice 3.

Years with Wacky, Wonderful Memories

LUCRETIA ANN BENNETT

Forensics Club 4; Historical Club 1; Lab. Ass't. 3; MORTONITE 3; Spanish Club 1, 2; TOP HAT (Salesman 2, 3).

BENEDICT E. BERDIS

Booster Club 2, 3; Travel Club 3.

DOREEN ANN BIANUCCI

Association (Recorder 4); Booster Club 1, 2 (V.P. 2); Cheerleader 1, 2; GAA 1, 2 (V.P. 2); Girls' State Rep. 3; Home Ec. Club 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 4; Jr. Exec. Board 3; MORTONITE 2-4 (Page Editor 3; Make-up Editor 4); Sr. Exec. Board 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4.

REBECCA E. BICANIC

FNC 2; FTA 3, 4 (V.P. 4); GAA 1, 2 (Treas. 2; Gym Ass't. 2; Y-Teens 3, 4 (V.P. 4).

ALVIE BISHOP

Art Club 4; Cross Country 2-4; Gym Ass't. 3; JRC 2, 3 (V.P. 3); Track 2-4; Wrestling 2-4.

GLENDA DALE BISHOP

Cinema Club 3; GAA 1, 2 (Sec. 2); Government Club 4; Lab Ass't. 3; Monitor 4; MORTONITE 2, 3 (Advertising Manager 3); Photo Club 1; Typing Practice 4.

JESS BITTNER

BARBARA ANN BOBICH

Clinic Helper 2, 3; FNC 1-4 (Treas. 3, 4); Monitor 3, 4; Teacher's Ass't. 4; Typing Practice 3, 4.

JUDITH BOGUCKI

TERRY G. BOYLES

Association (House 1-3); Football 1; Stage Crew 2.

DIANA LYNN BRANT

FNC 1, 2; FTA 3, 4; GAA 1, 2; Gym Ass't. 2; Student Teaching 3, 4; Y-Teens 3, 4.

MAUREEN LYNN BRENMAN

Art Club 1; Booster Club 1; NFL 4; Stage Crew 2, 3 (V.P. 2; Sec.-Treas. 3) Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; Theater Guild 2, 3; Zoology Club 4.

SUSAN ELAINE BRITT

Booster Club 1-3; FTA 2-4; Student Prints (Editor 3); MORTONITE 2-4 (Page Editor 2; Co-Ass't. Editor 3; Co-Editor 4); NHS 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Student Teacher 2, 4; Tutors Club 3, 4.

RICHARD BROMELS

Cinema Club 1-4; (Pres. 3); Football 2; Phy-Chem Club 4.

PEGGY BUCKMAN

Seniors Reigned Over Homecoming Activities,

JERRY HAROLD BUJWIT

Association 4 (House; Court Deputy); Boy's Chorus 3, 4 (Treas. 3); Cinema Club 1; Monitor 2, 3; TOP HAT Salesman 2.

JEANNETTE GAYLE BUNDY

Association 1, 4 (House); Booster Club 1; French Club 3, 4 (Treas. 3); Homecoming Court 4; NHS 3, 4; Office Ass't. 2, 4; Quill & Scroll 4; Stage Crew 2; Teacher's Ass't. 2, 4; Theater Guild 2; TOP HAT 3, 4 (Picture Editor 4; Salesman 4).

WILLIAM LEE BUSBY

Art Club 1.

JAMES NORRIS CAIN

Association 4 (Court Deputy); Booster Club 1; Games Club 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; Monitor 3, 4; Jr. Exec. Board 3; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Student Center Host 4.

PAM CANNER

Girls Club 3; Historical Club 1, 2; Lab Ass't. 3.

WAYNE A. CAPALBY

Baseball 2-4; Booster Club 2; Football 1-4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; Track 1; Wrestling 1-4.

JOHN CARRARA

ROBERT HOWARD CASEY

Debate Club 1, 2; Forensics Club 2; Historical Club 1; Monitor 4; NFL 2-4; NHS 3, 4; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Track 2-4.

DIANA GAIL CHAMBERS

Art Club 1, 2; Monitor 2; Spanish Club 3, 4; Typing Practice 3, 4; Y-Teens (Jr. 1, 2; Sr. 3).

LINDA CHORBA

Girls' Club 2; Home Ec. Club 1-4; Y-Teens (Jr. 1; Sr. 4).

FLOYD M. COAPSTICK

Basketball 1, 3, 4; Football 1-4; Hi-Y 2-4; Track 1.

CHERYL DIANE CONSTANT

Historical Club 1; Monitor 3; Spanish Club 3, 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; Y- Teens 2, .

RAMONA LYNN CROWE

Association 4 (Sec. of Assemblies); Booster Club 1-4 (Pres. 4); Cheerleader 1, 3, 4; Girls' State Alt. 3; Home Ec. Club 1-3 (Sec.-Treas. 1, 3); Lab Ass't. 4; NFL 3, 4; NHS 3, 4 (Alumni Ch. 4); Student Center Hostess 3; Zoology Club 4.

MICHAEL P. DAVICH

Hi-Y 2, 3.

DENNIS DEAN DEDELOW

Cinema Club 1-3; Football 1-3; Golf 3, 4; Spanish Club 3, 4 (Treas. 4); Teacher's Ass't. 2; Wrestling 1-3.

Including Bonfire, Parade, Game, and Dance






JUDITH MARIE DIEHL

Booster Club 1-3; Home Ec. Club 3, 4; MORTONITE 3, 4 (Business Manager 4); Teacher's Ass't. 3

GARY DEAN DIETRICH

Association 1-4 (House 1-3; Sec. of Safety 4); Boys' State Alt. 3; Cross Country 1, 2; Forensics Club 2; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1; NHS 3, 4; Track 1; Wrestling 1.

AUDREY SUE DIXON

Booster Club 1-3; Cheerleader 1; GAA 1; Government Club 4; NHS 3, 4; Spanish Club 3, 4; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Teacher's Ass't. 1, 2, 4; Theater Guild 2; TOP HAT 2-4 (Ass't. Editor 4).

PATRICIA ANNE DODD

Booster Club 1, 4; GAA 1; Government Club 4; Library Ass't. 1, 2; Monitor 2, 3; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Stage Crew 2, 3; Teacher Ass't. 3; Theater Guild 2, 3; TOP HAT Salesman 2-4.

AARON GENE DROKE

SANDRA SUE DUGGINS

Biology Club (Sec.-Treas. 3); Booster Club 2-4; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1; Monitor 3; Teacher's Ass't. 2, 4; Y-Teens 1.

LUCILLE A. ECHTERLING

FNC 2-4; Home Ec. Club 3, 4; Library Ass't. 4; Monitor 4.

FRANCES FAY ECKLUND

Booster Club 1; FTA 3, 4; Monitor 1; NHS 3, 4; Orchestra 1-4; Stage Crew 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; Theater Guild 2; Tutors Club 4.

RON ESTEP

Art Club 1, 2 (Treas. 2); Booster Club 1; Cross Country 1-4; Hi-Y 2-4 (Treas. 3; Pres. 4); Track 1-4; Wrestling 1-4.

THOMAS EDWARD EVACKO

Biology Club 1, 2; Chess Club 3, 4; Football 1; Teacher's Ass't. 2; Wrestling 1.

JERRY FRANCES FARSTER

Choir 3, 4; Lab Ass't. 2-4; Office Ass't. 1, 2; Photo Club 2-4 (Treas. 3, 4); Teacher's Ass't. 1-3; TOP HAT Salesman 1, 2; Travel Club 1.

JAMES CARSON FERGUSON

Baseball 2-4; Basketball 1; Cross Country 1-4; Hi-Y 2-4; Sr. Class Pres. 4; Track 1; Wrestling 2.

JUDITH KAY FINLEY

Booster Club 1; Girls' State Rep. 3; JRC 2-4 (Sec. 3, 4); NHS 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Theater Guild 1; Tutors Club 3.

GAYLE EILEEN FLEISCHER

Association 3 (House); Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Biology Club 2; FNC 2, 4; Phy-Chem Club (Treas. 4); Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4.

MAUREEN FOXX

Tipton H.S.; Chorus Club 2; Future Business Leaders of America 3; GAA 1; Home Ec. Club 2; Newspaper Staff 3; Pep Club 1, 2.









Seniors Attended Inaugural Ball on Thanksgiving

REBECCA SUE FRANCIS
Booster Club 2-4; Cheerleader 1, 3, 4; JRC 1; GAA 1, 2; Lab Ass't. 2; Lieut. Monitor 3; Spanish Club 3, 4.

DENNIS M. FREDERICKS
Cinema Club 2; Cross Country 1; Stage Crew 2.

LINDA SUE FREEMAN
Giles County H. S.; Home Ec. Club 1; Monitor 2 — Morton; Booster Club 3; Government Club 4; Lab Ass't. 4; Lieut. Monitor 3; Office Ass't. 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Y-Teens 4.

BEVERLY L. FRIEND
Monitor 3; Spanish Club 1-3; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3.

KATHY ANN FRUNK
Biology Club 2, 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Travel Club 1; Y-Teens 3.

KAREN FULTON
Biology Club 3; Booster Club 1; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Y-Teens 3.














CATHERINE I. GALLAGHER
FNC 2; GAA 1; Stage Crew 3; Theater Guild 3.

BARBARA JOAN GALLIMORE
Biology Club 3; Booster Club 4; Government Club (Sec. 4); Historical Club 2; Homecoming Court 4; Jr. Class Sec. 3; Majorette 1-4; Monitor 4; Student Center Hostess 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Y-Teens 1-3.

MARILYN ELAINE GANCHEFF
Booster Club 1, 2; Clinic Helper 2; Government Club 3, 4; Monitor 2; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; TOP HAT Salesman 4.

SUSAN ANN GEORGE
Booster Club 1; Debate 3, 4; Forensics Club 3, 4; NFL 3, 4; Spanish Club 1-4 (Sec. 3); Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; Theater Guild 1.

CLARKE G. GHOLSON
Association (House 1); Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Cinema Club 1-4; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4.

LAURA GILSON
Cinema Club 1; GAA 1, 2; Lab Ass't. 3; Monitor 2.

NANCY ANN GLASS
Biology Club 2; Booster Club 1, 2; Home Ec. Club 1; Teacrer's Ass't. 4; Zoology Club 3, 4.

SHARON ELAINE GOLEC
Booster Club 1-3; Historical Club 1; Monitor 3, 4; Spanish Club 2-4 (Sec. 4); Sr. Exec. Board 4.

LESLIE HOWARD GOMBUS
Basketball 1; Cinema Club 2-4; Cross Country 2; Football 1; Monitor 2, 4; NHS 3, 4; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Track 1.

Eve To Honor Student Association Officers

MICHAEL GRACE
Art Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 2; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Practical Arts Club 1.

CAROLYN JEAN GRENDA
Biology Club 1, 2; Booster Club 1, 2; FNC 2-4; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1, 2; Teacher's Ass't. 1.

ROBERT JOSEPH GYURKO
Biology Club 1; Photo Club 1-4 (V.P. 3); TOP HAT Photographer 4.

GEORGANN HAMNIK
Biology Club 4; Booster Club 1; Girls Chorus 1; Government Club 2.

MICHAEL DALE HENDRICKS
Football 1, 2; Historical Club 1; Stage Crew 2, 3; (Pres. 3); Theater Guild 3, 4; Thespians 4; Track 2; Travel Club 2; Wrestling 1, 2.

SUSAN LEONA HENDRON
FNC 1, 2; Lab Ass't. 3; TOP HAT Salesman 2-4; Travel Club 1, 2; Y-Teens 1.

RAYMOND HICKS

WILLIAM RONALD HILL
Basketball 2; Football 2-4; Gym Ass't. 4; Hi-Y 1-3; M-Club 4; Monitor 2, 3 (Lieut. 3); Rotary Club 4; Track 4; Travel Club 2, 3.

CAROL JEAN HINES
Booster Club 1-3; Government Club 4; Jr. Exec. Board 3; Monitor 3; Soph. Class Sec. 2; Spanish Club 1, 2; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Y-Teens 4.

CURTIS B. HOGGATT
Boys Chorus 3 (Sec.-Treas.); Industrial Arts Club 2; Zoology Club 4.

DOT HOGYA
Bookstore Helper 4; FNC 3, 4; GAA 1, 2; Lab Ass't. 3, 4; Zoology Club (Pres. 4).

LINDA HOLLY
Booster Club 1; Girls' Club 2; Home Ec. Club 2-4 (V.P. 4).

HELEN GAY HOLSCLAW
Art Club 4; Booster Club 1, 2; Debate 3, 4; Debate Club 2, 3; French Club 3; Frosh. Class Sec. 1; Girls' State Alt.; Historical Club 2; Jr. Class V.P. 3; Monitor 1; MORTONITE 2-4 (Page Editor 3; Ass't. Editor 4); NFL 3, 4; NHS 3, 4 (Pro. Chr. 4); Quill & Scroll 3, 4 (Pres. 4); Sr. Exec. Board 4; Teacher's Ass't. 2.

SANDRA JEAN HOMNER
French Club 4; Home Ec. Club 1, 2; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4.

THOMAS JAMES HOPMAN
Basketball 1-4; Booster Club 1, 2; Chess Club 1, 2; Cross Country 1-3; Football 4; German Club 3; Hi-Y 3; M-Club (Pres. 4); Track 1, 2.

Seniors Carried On 'Cordial' Tradition, Autographed

LINDA LOUISE HORVATH
Booster Club 2, 4; French Club 4; GAA 1; MORTONITE Reporter 4; Stage Crew 1; Teacher's Ass't. 2; Theater Guild 1, 2.

RICHARD M. HOWERTON
Art Club 1, 2; Booster Club 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 4.

BILL HUNZIKER
Association 1, 2, 4 (House 1, 2; Court 4); Band 1, 2 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1, 2); Booster Club 4; Boys' State Alt. 3; Government Club 3; Historical Club (V.P. 2); Hi-Y 3; NHS 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4 (V.P. 4); TOP HAT 3, 4 (Sports Editor 4).

KENNETH RODNEY HYDE
Baseball 1-4; Basketball 1; Football 1-4; Hi-Y 1-3; M-Club 1; Travel Club 1-3; Wrestling 2-4.

YVONNE IGNAZITO
Association 4 (House); Home Ec. Club 4; Monitor 2; Stage Crew 2, 3 (Sec. 3); Teacher's Ass't. 3; Theater Guild 1, 2 (Sec. 1); TOP HAT Salesman 3; Y-Teens 1.

BOB IMBOREK
Basketball 1-4; Cross Country 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4; Photo Club 2; Track 1, 2; Travel Club 1.

WILLIAM RICHARD JENKINS
Games Club 1, 3; Hi-Y 2, 4.

JIM JEWETT
Football 1-4; Hi-Y 1-4 (Sgt.-at-Arms 4); Track 3; Wrestling 1-4.

MARIE LUCILLE JOHNSON
FTA 1-4 (Sec. 4); Student Teacher 2-4; Teacher's Ass't. 3; TOP HAT Salesman 1-4; Business Mgr. 4).

DANNY JOHNSTON

JOE KANIUK
Cross Country 3; Phy-Chem Club 1, 3.

BARBARA JO KERN
Girls' Club 1-4; Home Ec. Club 1-4 (Pres. 4); Office Ass't. 2, 3.

MARY JEAN KICHO
Biology Club 2; Bookstore 3, 4; Booster Club 1-4; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1; Monitor 3; Office Ass't. 2; Zoology Club 3.

JANET FRANCES KIGER
Booster Club 1, 2; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1; Monitor 2, 3; Teacher's Ass't. 1-4.

CAROLYN ANN KNIGHT
Association 3 (House); Booster Club 1; Choir 1-4; FTA 1-4; GAA 1; JRC 4; NHS 3, 4; Office Ass't. 2

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CYNTHIA ANN KOLWICZ
Biology Club 2; Booster Club 1-4; Government Club 4; Monitor 2; Office Ass't. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1.

THOMAS KORNAUS
Phy-Chem Club 1-4 (Pres. 4).

BARBARA ANN KOVERA
E. C. Washington H. S. FHA 1; Representatives 1 (V.P.) Merton Biology Club 2; GAA 2; Lab Ass't. 4; NHS 3, 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Tutors Club 3, 4; Zoology Club Club 3, 4; Y-Teens 2-4.

HENRY J. KRAS
Booster Club 1-4 (V.P. 4).

DOLORES KRIZMAN
Booster Club 1; Girls' Club 1-4; NHS 3, 4; Spanish Club 1-4; Teacher's Ass't. 2, 3.

JOYCE KRYSZAK
Booster Club 1; GAA 1.

RITA LEE
FTA 4; Lab Ass't. 2, 3; Spanish Club 1-3.

LARRY LESSIE
Association 4 (Senate); Basketball 1, 2; Booster Club 1; Cross Country 1, 2; Frosh Class Pres. 1; Golf 2-4; Government Club 4 (Pres.); Hi-Y 2, 3; Jr. Exec. Board 3; Track 1; Travel Club 1.

PAUL AARON LEWIN
Association 1 (House); Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Chess Club 2-4 (Sgt-at-Arms 2, V.P. 3); Sr. Class V.P. 4.

DAVID LLOYD
Football 1; Forensics Club 1; Literature Club 3; Monitor 3; TOP HAT Salesman 2; Wrestling 1.

RONALD JON LOHSE
Art Club 1; Association 1 (House); Boys Chorus 3; Choir 4; Cross Country 1, 2; Forensics Club 2; Frosh Class V. P. 1; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 2, 3; Monitor 1; Track 1.

RONALD LONG
Association 3, 4 (Court Deputy); Cinema Club 1-4; Lab Ass't. 2, 3; Zoology Club 3, 4.

KAREN LOSH
Band (Jr.); FNC 2-4; FTA 2; Lab Ass't. 3; NHS 3, 4; Zoology Club 3, 4 (Treas. 4).

DICK MACE
Art Club 4; Basketball 1, 2; Choir 1-3; Debate 1; Football 1, 2; Gym Ass't. 3; Hi-Y 1-4; Jr. Exec. Board 3; Spanish Club 1-3 (V.P. 2); Teacher's Ass't. 4.

KAZIA ANN MACEY
Booster Club 1; GAA 1-4 (V.P. 2; Pres. 4); Teacher's Ass't. 2-4; TOP HAT Salesman 4.

Sectionals Brought Excitement and Tears As

KAROL LYNN MACK
Biology Club 1, 2; Booster Club 1, 2; MORTONITE Typist 4; Zoology Club 3, 4.

MIKE MANDERNACK
Bishop Noll H. S.: Basketball 1; Football 1; Monitor 1.

MARIANN MANSAVAGE
Biology Club 2, 3; Office Ass't. 2; Teacher's Ass't. 4; TOP HAT Typist 3, 4; Y-Teens 1-3 (Sec. 2).

JAMES D. MARLEY
Band 1, 2 (Jr. 1; Sr. 2); Cinema Club 4; Phy-Chem Biology Club 2, 3; Office Ass't 2; Teacher's Ass't. Guild 3, 3.

JUDITH ANN MARLOTT
Biology Club 2; FNC 3, 4; Monitor 3; Office Ass't. 2; Spanish Club 4; Y-Teens 1, 2.

BRENDA LOU MARLOW
FNC 1, 2; GAA 1; Library Ass't. 2; Stage Crew 2; Teacher Ass't. 4.

WAYNE MARRS

GAYLE MASKOVICH
Booster Club 1, 2; GAA 1; Government Club 4; JRC 3; Monitor 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Y-Teens 1.

MICHAEL MATLOCK
E. C. Washington H. S.: Monitor 1, 2. — Morton: Cinema Club 3, 4; Travel Club 3, 4.

JUDITH ANN McALEER
Band 1-3 (Jr. 1; Sr. 2, 3); FNC 2-4 (Sec. 3, 4); FTA 2; Lab Ass't. 4; MORTONITE Reporter 3; NHS 3, 4; Zoology Club 3, 4 (V.P. 4).

NANCI LEE McCONNELL
Biology Club 1-3; Booster Club 1-3; Government Club 4; Historical Club 2; JRC 1; Office Ass't 2; Teacher's Ass't. 4; Travel Club 3; Y-Teens 1.

RICHARD S. McCREA
Cross Country 1-3; Hi-Y 1-4; Shop Ass't. 4; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Track 1-3.

MICKI LEE McGINNIS
Booster Club 1, 2, 4; GAA 1; Homecoming Court 4; Lab Ass't. 2; NHS 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3 (Pres. 3); Student Center Hostess 4.

LEONARD MESEBERG

PATRICIA MAE MIERZWA
Biology Club 2, 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; Y-Teens 1-4 (Treas. 2).

Seniors Backed Governor Roundballers

NICK MIHALIC
Art Club 1; Cinema Club 1, 2.

PAULA ANN MIKULA
Bishop Noll H. S.: CSMC 1. — Morton. Biology Club 2; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; Y-Teens 4.

KAREN MILTON

SANDRA DALE MINER
Booster Club 1; Home Ec. Club 2.

FRANKLIN EUGENE MISNER
Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Debate 4; Debate Club 2; Forensics Club 2; Historical Club 2; NHS 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Tutors Club 4.

ROBERT W. MITCHELL
Association 1, 2, 4 (House 1, 2; Sec. of Student Center 4); Boys' State Rep. 3; Debate 1-4; Forensics Club 2; French Club 3; Historical Club 3; Monitor Lieut. 4; NFL 2-4 (Pres. 3, 4); NHS 3, 4 (Pres. 4); Phy-Chem Club 4.

DONNA MAY MODJESKI
German Club 4; Monitor 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Travel Club 2, 3; Y-Teens 2-4.

ELLEN MAUREEN MOFFETT
Bookstore 4; Booster Club 1, 2; FNC 3, 4; FTA 1; Government Club 4; Jr. Exec. Board 3; Spanish Club 2; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3; TOP HAT Salesman 3, 4.

ROGER MARK MORRISON
Biology Club 2-4 (Pres. 3, 4); Cross Country 4; Phy-Chem Club 1; Track 4; Wrestling 4.

ROBERT K. MULLER
Art Club 1; Cross Country 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Hi-Y 2-4 (Sec. 4); Teacher's Ass't. 4; Track 1-4.

LAURA ANNE MURPHY
Biology Club 1-3; Y-Teens 1-4.

DONALD NEFF
Cross Country 1-3; Hi-Y 3; Lab Ass't. 3; Math Club 1, 2; NHS 3, 4; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Tutors Club 4; Wrestling 2.

JOHN NEIGHBORS
Basketball 1; Chess Club 1; Football 1; Track 1.

JOHN E. NICHOLAS

PAMELA JEAN OPPERMAN
Association 1, 2, 4 (House 1, 2; Senate 4); Choir 2, 3; GAA 1; Girls Chorus 1; Office Ass't. 2; Swing Sixteen 3, 4; Theater Guild 2-4; TOP HAT Salesman 2; Y-Teens 3.

Seniors Attended Jr.-Sr. Prom, A Farewell for

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Association 3, 4 (House); Booster Club 1, 2; GAA 2; Girls' Club 1; Historical Club 1; Home Ec. Club 4; Monitor 2, 3; Sr. Exec. Board 4.

JACK OVERMAN

Association 1-3 (Senate); Basketball 1, 2; Cross Country 1-3; Golf 2-4; Government Club 4; Hi-Y 4; Math Club 2; Phy-Chem Club 3; Track 1; Travel Club 1.

MELINDA LOU OWENS

Art Club 2; Booster Club 1, 2; Choir 2, 4; GAA 1; Girls Chorus 1; Girls Glee Club 1; Typing Practice 4.

WAYNE ALAN PELHANK

Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Boys Chorus 4; Government Club 4; Jr. Exec. Board 3; Spanish Club 2; Sr. Exec. Board 4; TOP HAT Salesman 2-4; Travel Club 2.

PENELOPE ANN PHELPS

Biology Club 1, 2; Lab Ass't. 2-4; Photo Club 1-4 (Sec. 3, 4); Zoology Club 3, 4.

KAREN JEAN PIERAMICO

Booster Club 4; GAA 1; Theater Guild 1; Typing Practice 2-4; Y-Teens 1-3.

SANDRA ALEXIS POCIUS

Biology Club 3; Bookstore Helper 3; Booster Club 1-4; Government Club 4; Monitor 4.

JOHN POCZATEK

Art Club 1-3; Cinema Club 4; Sr. Exec. Board 4.

ROBERT E. POPIELA

Football 1, 2; Shop Ass't. 3.

JACQUELINE KATHRYN PREMUDA

Association 2 (House); Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 2-4); French Club 2, 3 (Pres. 2, 3); German Club 4; Stage Crew 3.

BONNIE PRUITT

FNC 1-4 (V.P. 2; Pres. 4); Forensics Club 1, 2; Lieut. Monitor 3; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Teacher's Ass't. 1, 2, 4; Theater Guild 2, 3.

EDDIE PULLO

Football 1-3; Track 1, 2; Travel Club 1; Wrestling 1, 2.

ELIZABETH LOUISE QUINN

Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Forensics Club 2, 3; French Club 2-4; NHS 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Tutor Club 4.

WILLIAM A. RAKOS

Baseball 2; Cross Country 1-4; Gym Ass't. 2, 3; Lab Ass't. 4; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Travel Club 1; Wrestling 1-4.

RON REBA

Association 1, 2 (House 1; Senate 2); Stage Crew 3; Theater Guild 3.

Class of '64 To Climax Year's Social Events

SUSAN JO RENO

Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); FTA 2-4; JRC 2-4 (Treas. 4); Lab Ass't. 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Teacher's Ass't. 2; Tutor Club 3.

DOUG RHEA

Chess Club 1, 2.

RICHARD DAVID RIDGE

Photo Club 1; Phy-Chem Club 1.

JANET CHRISTINE RIVICH

FNC 1, 2; Spanish Club 2; Teacher's Ass't. 3.

WILLIAM ROACH

Football 3, 4; Wrestling 3.

ROGER S. ROLLINS

Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Biology Club 2; Cinema Club 2; Hi-Y 3.

PAUL EDWARD ROPAC, JR.

Basketball 1-3; Football 1-4 (Captain 1); Shop Ass't. 3.

JEANNE ROSE

Booster Club 1, 2; Choir 2-4; Girls Chorus 1; Monitor 2; Stage Crew 3; Theater Guild 3; Y-Teens 1.

ERNEST ARNOLD ROSENAU

Baseball Mgr. 1-4; Basketball Mgr. 1-4; Football Mgr. 1-4; Lab Ass't. 4; NHS 3, 4; Phy-Chem Club 1.

DARLENE ROSENBERRY

Girls' Club 1-4; Government Club 4; Home Ec. Club 1.

DELOIS ANN ROUSE

Clinic Ass't 3; FNC 1-4; Government Club 4.

WILLIE RUFF

Boys' State Delegate 3; Hi-Y 3; Monitor 3; Rotary Club 4; Spanish Club 4; Student Association (Pres. 4); Student Center 2; Student Council Workshop 3; Student Court 1-3 (Chief Justice 3, Deputy 2); TOP HAT Salesman 1; Track 3.

LYNNE SABO

Association (Court Recorder 4); Biology Club 2; Booster Club 1-3; Girls Chorus 1; Girls Glee Club 1; Monitor 2, 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3; Y-Teens 4.

TOM SABO

Biology Club 4; JRC 1 (V.P.); Stage Crew 3; Zoology Club 3.

WARREN SABO

Biology Club 3; Booster Club 1; Chess Club 2; Golf 2, 3; Stage Crew 3.

Seniors Watched Final Weeks at Morton Slip Away

ROBERT LEE SALACH

Association 3 (Court Deputy); Cross Country 1-4; M-Club 3, 4; Monitor 4; NHS 3, 4; Phy-Chem Club 1-4 (V.P. 4); Sr. Exec. Board 4; Teacher's Ass't. 2; Track 1-4; Wrestling 1-4.

MARY ANN SALLADE

GAA 1; Government Club 4.

CHERYL LEE SARVER

Association 1, 2 (House); Booster Club 1-3; Government Club 4 (Treas.); Spanish Club 1; Teacher's Ass't. 4; Y-Teens 4.

ELIZABETH MARGARET SASSE

Booster Club 1, 2; Forensics Club 4; Girls Glee Club 3, 4; Library Club 4; NFL 4; Theater Guild 1, 2.

JAMES HERBERT SCHMIDT

Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Chess Club 2-4 (Sec. 2, 3; Pres. 4).

CAROL J. SCHREIBER

Biology Club 2, 3; Booster Club 1, 4; Clinic Ass't. 3; FNC 2, 3; Forensics Club 4; French Club 3; GAA 1; Monitor 2; MORTONITE (Reporter 2, 3); Student Center Hostess 3; Teacher's Ass't. 4; Y-Teens 1, 2.

MARGE SCHWEIGHARDT

Association 1, 3 (House); FNC 4; Government Club 4; Jr. Exec. Board 3; Monitor 3; MORTONITE 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 4; Spanish Club 1, 2; Student Center Hostess 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3.

BOB SEGALLY

Association 3, 4 (Court Deputy); Baseball 3, 4; Cross Country 3, 4; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1; Monitor 3, 4; Phy-Chem Club 1, 2; TOP HAT Salesman 3, 4.

DORINDA BLANCHE SERBU

Art Club 2; Biology Club 4; Y-Teens 1, 2.

BALITA PAULETTE SHAFER

Art Club 2; Biology Club 4; Monitor 2; Y-Teens 1, 2.

KAREN LEE SHANTA

French Club 4 (Treas.); FTA 1, 2; Girls Chorus 1; Girls Glee Club 2; Homecoming Court 4; Quill & Scroll 4; Teacher's Ass't. 2, 3; Sr. Exec. Board 4; TOP HAT 3, 4 (Salesman 3; Ass't. Club Editor 4); Travel Club 3; Y-Teens 1-4 (Pres. 2, 4).

ROBERT J. SHELDON

Band 4; Choir 2-4; German Club 4; JRC 1-4 (Pres. 4); Library Ass't. 4; Phy-Chem Club 2, 3; Swing Sixteen 4; Theater Guild 1.

RITA ANN SHERER

Booster Club 1, 2; Choir 2-4; Elementary Office Ass't. 3; FTA 2-4; GAA 1; Girls Chorus 1; Girls Glee Club 1; JRC 3, 4 (V.P. 4); Lab Ass't. 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Sr. Exec. Board 4.

JOANNE SHERMAN

Booster Club 1, 2; FNC 3, 4 (V.P. 3); French Club 2, 3; Historical Club 1; Government Club 4; Monitor 3; MORTONITE 2-4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4 (Treas. 4); Student Center Hostess 3; TOP HAT (Layout Ed. 4).

DONALD J. SHERWINSKI

Art Club 2; Association 4 (Court Deputy); Cross Country 2-4; Photo Club 3, 4; Track 3.

With Passing of Senior Banquet, Senior Week

HARRY SHOCK

Art Club 4; Booster Club 1; Boys' State Rep. 3; Debate 3, 4; Debate Club 2; Fall Play 4; Government Club 3; Historical Club (Treas. 2); Jr. Class Pres. 3; NFL 3, 4 (V.P.); NHS 4; Sr. Exec. Board 4.

LON DEAN SILAGI

Boys Chorus 3; Choir 4; Stage Crew 2; Swing Sixteen 3, 4.

SANDRA SIMON

Girls' Club 1-4; Government Club 4.

SANDY SKAGER

Booster Club 1; Girls' Club 2; Stage Crew 3.

MIKE SKERTICH

Biology Club 4; Stage Crew 3; Zoology Club 3.

DAVID J. SMARON

Cinema Club 1-3; Historical Club 1; Photo Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Zoology Club 3, 4.

RICHARD SMEBERG

EC Washington H.S.: Art Guild 1, 2; Basketball 1; Intramurals 1, 2 - Morton: Stage Crew 3.

GREG A. SMITH

Basketball 1, 2; Booster Club 1, 2; Cross Country 1-3; Golf 2-4; Hi-Y 3,4; TOP HAT Salesman 1; Track 1.

KENDALL SMITH

Art Club 4; Cinema Club 1, 2; Cross Country 3; Forensics 1, 2; Hi-Y 3; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3.

THOMAS SMOCK

Band (Jr. 1); Golf 2-4; Historical Club 3; Hi-Y 2-4.

GLORIA JEAN SMULEVITZ

Biology Club 3; FNC 1-3; FTA 4; JRC 2; Monitor 3; MORTONITE (Reporter 3, Club Editor 4); NHS 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Spanish Club 1, 2; Tutor Club 4; Y-Teens 1.

JUDY SOMERVILLE

Booster Club 1; Girls' Club 2; Stage Crew 3.

PATRICIA ANN SONATY

Choir 3; Debate 4; GAA 1; Girls Chorus 1; Girls' Club 2, 3 (V.P. 3); Girls Glee Club 2, 3; Monitor 1-3; NFL 4; Office Ass't. 3; Stage Crew 3; Student Center Hostess 3; Teacher's Ass't. 3.

DEANNA LYNNE SPORK

Association 2, 3 (House); Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Lab Ass't. 4; Office Ass't. 1, 2; Orchestra 2, 3; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Theater Guild 2; Tutors Club (Sec. 3, 4).

DEBORA SPRAY

Seniors Donned Caps and Gowns With Pride and

PAT SPUDIC

VIOLA LOUISE STAPLES
Hammond H. S.: FNA 1; Girls' Gym Club 2; Latin Club 1. — Morton: Girls' Club 2-4.

JACK STEELE
Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Boys Chorus 2; Choir 4; French Club 3; Photo Club 1, 2.

SUSAN LEE STEPHENSON
Booster Club 2-4; GAA 1; Library Ass't. 1; Spanish Club 3; Teacher Ass't. 3, 4; Theater Guild 1, 2; Typing Practice 4; Y-Teens 1.

JODY MAE STEVENS
Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Debate Club 1, 2; FNC 2-4; French Club 3; Gym Ass't. 2, 3; Lab Ass't. 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Spanish Club 4; Theatcr Guild 1; Tutor Club 3, 4.

LINDA STEVENS
Booster Club 2; GAA 1; Girls' Club 3, 4.

JAMES STEVENSON

SANDRA KATHRYN STONE
Booster Club 1-3; Historical Club 2; MORTONITE (Ass't. Co-Editor 3; Co-Editor 4); NHS 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4.

BARBARA JEAN STRYZINSKI
Booster Club 1-4; GAA 1, 2; Girls' State Alt.; Home Ec. Club 3, 4; (Sec. 4); Jr. Exec. Board 3; NHS 3, 4 (Sec. 4); Student Center Hostess 3; Teacher's Ass't.

CAROLE SUE STUHR
Bookstore 3; Booster 1, 2.

LORETTA JEAN SULLIVAN
FTA 1, 2; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Teacher Ass't. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 4).

JAY SUMMERS
Football 2-4; Hi-Y 3, 4 (Treas. 4); Track 2-4; Wrestling 2.

SANDRA MAY SURUFKA
Cinema Club 1; Home Ec. Club 2-4.

MARY LOU SUTO

BOB SUTTON
Band 1-2 (Jr. 1; Sr. 2); Cross Country 1; Hi-Y 2; Track 1; Wrestling 1.

Participated in Last Activity of High School Life






SCOTT SWEENEY

Chess Club 1-4 (Pres. 3); MORTONITE 3, 4 (Sports Ed. 4); Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Tutors Club 3, 4.

DON SZAFARCZYK

Art Club 2-4; Association 3 (House); Teacher's Ass't. 2, 3; Track 1; Wrestling 1, 2.

DAVID TEMPLETON

Football 1-3; Track 1-3; Wrestling 1-3.

RICHARD ALAN THOMAS

Cross Country 3; Stage Crew 2; Wrestling 2, 3.

RON THOMAS

WARREN THOMPSON

Football 1-4; Historical Club 1; Hi-Y 2-4; Wrestling 2, 3.

JAMES TUTTLE

Cross Country 1; Hi-Y 2-4; Spanish Club 1; Stage Crew 1; Track 1, 2; Wrestling 1, 2.

RICK TYLER

Association 4 (V.P.); Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Government Club 4; Historical Club 2; Photo Club 1-3; Soph Class V. P. 2; Teacher's Ass't. 2; Wrestling 2-4.

REGINALD MARK VALENTINE

Band (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Photo Club 2, 3; Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 3.

ROBERT LEE VAN GORP

Association 3, 4 (Court Judge 3, Sec. of Justice 4); Baseball 3, 4; Cross Country 3.

KEN VAN LUL

Baseball 1-3; Cross Country 1; Wrestling 1, 2.

FRANCENE MARIE VINTILLA

Association 4 (Sec. of Treasury); Booster Club 4; Choir 1-4; Government Club 4; Historical Club 1, 2; Homecoming Court 4; MORTONITE 1, 2 (Reporter 1, Page Ed. 2); Swing Sixteen 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3, 4; Y-Teens 1.

KAREN LYNN VLAHOS

Biology Club 2; Booster Club 1.

BARBARA VOLK

LAWRENCE HARDIN WALL









With Diplomas In Hand, Seniors Began A New Phase

SHERMAN ANTHONY WARING
Association 2-4 (House 2; Senate 3, 4); Band 1-3 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-3); Historical Club (Pres. 2); NHS 3, 4 (V.P. 4); Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Play 3; Wrestling 2.

PEGGY LEE WATERS
Booster Club 1; FNC 2, 4; GAA 1, 2; Girls Chorus 2; Girls Glee Club 2; Travel Club 4; Y-Teens 3.

CLIFFORD CHARLES WATTS
Cinema Club 1; Football 1-4; Hi-Y 3, 4 (V.P. 4); Spanish Club 2; Wrestling 1, 2.

JERRY ALAN WEBER
Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Historical Club 2; NHS 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Photo Club 2-4 (V.P. 4); Phy-Chem Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; TOP HAT Photographer 4.

DAVE WEBSTER
Booster Club 1; Cross Country 2; Track 2; Wrestling 2-4.

JANICE DOREEN WEBSTER
Booster Club 2; Girls Club 4; JRC 1, 2; Teacher Booster Club 2; Girls' Club 4; JRC 1, 2; Teacher's

LETHA FAYE WELLS
Girls Chorus 1; Girls Club 2-4 (Sec. 3; Pres. 4); Girls Glee Club 2-4; Home Ec. Club (Sec. 1); Teacher's Ass't. 3.

JOAN ELLEN WHITE
FNC 3; French Club 2, 3; Government Club 4; Teacher's Ass't. 3; T. eater Guild 1, 2; TOP HAT Salesman 2.

LINDA JEAN WHITE
Band 1-4 (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); Fall Play 2; Forensics Club 2; French Club 2-4 (Sec. 2); Math Club 2 (Pres. 2); NFL 3; NHS 3, 4; Orchestra 1-4; Teacher's Ass't. 4; Tutors Club 3, 4 (Pres. 3, 4).

RICH WHITE

CARRIE SUE WHITEHOUSE
Booster Club 1, 2; Teacher's Ass't. 3.

ROBERT WILKINS
Chess Club 1, 2.

GLENDA WILKS

RAY WILKS
French Club 3; Historical Club 1, 2; Phy-Chem Club 4.

CONNIE ANNE WILLIAMS
Association 1-4 (Hopse 1-4); Monitor 2, 4; MORTONITE typist 4; Spanish Club 1-4 (Treas. 1); Student Center Hostess 3.

Of Life — College, Career, or Marriage

JUNE CAROL WILLIAMSON

Biology Club 1; Booster Club 1; Girls' Club 2-4; JRC 2.

COLLEEN YVONNE WOOD

Booster Club 1; Debate 1-3; Fall Play 4; FTA 1-4 (V. P. 3; Pres. 4); MORTONITE (Reporter 2; Page Ed. 3, 4); NFL 2-4 (Sec. 3, 4); NHS 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Sr. Exec. Board 4; Sr. Play 3; Student Teacher 2-4; Tutors Club 3.

SUSAN ZAHER

All-City Band 3; All-State Band 4; Band (Jr. 1; Sr. 1-4); D.A.R. 4; Debate 1-4; French Club 2-4 (Pres. 4); Math Club 2; NFL (V.P. 4); NHS 3, 4, (Treas. 4); Orchestra 2-4; Rotary State Semi-finals 3; U.S. World Affairs Tour Represenative 3.

ROBERT PAUL ZERBY

CATHY ZIMMERMAN

FNC 3, 4 (V. P. 4); Home Ec. Club 1; Lab Ass't. 2; Monitor 2.

Camera Shy

Keith Campbell

Randy Farrell

Rick Hanaway

Robert Johnson

Jeffery Jones

Ron Kondrat

Wayne Krupa

Dennis Laurion

Linda Olson

Carl Pumnea

Judy Reeves

Doug Rose

Sharon Scartozzi

Donald Struhs

Will Be's Topple Has Been's, 70-55

The annual Has Been-Will Be Game ended in triumph for the Will Be's when the "mighty" seniors were beaten by the energetic Will Be's, 70-55.

Tom Hopman, with 26 points, was the leading scorer for the Has Been's. The Will Be's were led by Jack Repay with 19 points and Steve Banka with 16. Traditionally, the seniors presented a skit at half-time to bolster their team's spirit.

This game, which ended the basketball season, broke a two year winning streak for the Has Been's.

ONE SMALL WILL BE can cause lots of trouble, as exhibited by freshman Dennie Berard, who shoots for a basket as seniors Tom Hopman, Ken Hyde, and Jim Ferguson try to block his attempt.

HAS BEEN CHEERLEADER, "Skeeter" Thompson, urges a reluctant Mr. McNabney to cheer for the seniors' team during the traditional Has Been-Will Be Game.

DURING HALF-TIME of the Has Been-Will Be Game, seniors Nancy McConnell, Toni Oros, and Jan Kiger "cracked the whip" at juniors in preparation for the second half.

OFFICERS of the Junior Class are President Don Ward, Vice-President George Bewley, Secretary Kathy Teegarden.

Junior Class Participates In Many 'Extra' Activities

The 375 members of the Class of '65 have many accomplishments of which to be proud. Juniors worked hard to make a class float, a covered wagon labelled "Beat 'Em or Bust," for homecoming. Class dues, collected each fall for anticipated expenses, were contributed to "Sea Mist," this year's Jr.-Sr. Prom. The Junior Executive Board, comprised of a representative from each eleventh grade homeroom, and the class sponsors, Mr. Gerald Spitzer and Mrs. Jean Hastings, helped to make these activities possible. Besides all this, the junior class consistently claimed the highest number of students on the honor rolls.

A COVERED WAGON surrounded by "dead" Bishop Noll Warriors was the theme of the Junior Class homecoming float. Four Weeks' preparation was spent to ready the float in time for the parade October 4.

Bill Abel
Joanie Acheson
Sharon Allen
Gary Andersen
Jeff Andres
Joellyn Armstrong
Jo Ann Arvay

Garry Bagley
Dave Bailey
Joyce Bakker
Laura Ball
Larry Banas
Pat Bane
Steve Banka

Madeline Barabas
Sharyn Barnes
Betty Barney
Carl Barr
Sharon Barrix
Tony Basso
Ruth Baxley

Barbara Beilby
Dianna Bell
John Benkovich
Larry Benkovich
Douglas Bergs
Art Berquist
Lyle Berguist

Members of the Junior Class Lead School In

Marilyn Berrisford
Sue Berta
Donald Bewley
George Bewley
Paulette Bienko
Stephen Bigler
Gloria Bindas

Kitty Bjorklund
Corky Blackman
Lynn Blackman
Helen Blair
Van Blair
Carole Blessing
Brian Board

Dawn Bocken
Ken Bocken
Ken Bogert
Steve Boskovich
Dawn Bowman
Jackie Boyles
Beth Bradford

Bill Brandenburg
Roz Brenman
Dennis Brooke
Christine Brown
James Bucko
Ruth Buder
Alan Burns

Dallas Burton
Sharon Buza
Barbara Caldwell
Kathy Callahan
Bill Casey
Carolyn Cergizan
Larry Chaney

Gary Chansler
Wally Chappey
Kenneth Charleston
Bob Chorba
Phyllis Chrisney
Cheryl Clark
Sylvia Clark

Jim Clauson
Ellen Cody
Judy Collins
Frank Colvin
Pam Corman
Alice Crary
Marilyn Creekmore

Nancie Creekmore
Candy Crosby
Marijo Cunningham
Susan Cutler
Harriet Czarnecki
Ronald Deak
Brian Doughman

Patricia Dovey
John Dowling
Paula Dowling
Teresa Drake
Linda Drozdy
Jack DuFrain
Skip DuVall

Scholastic Achievement, Extra-Curricular Activities

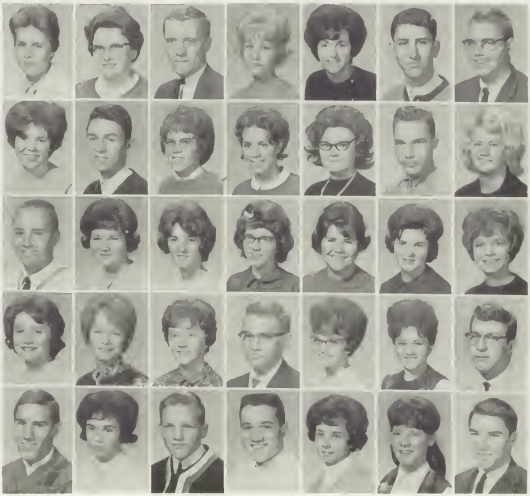
Beverley Dye
Margie Eades
Tom Eatinger
Laurie Echterling
Nancy Eldridge
Glenn Ellenburg
David Ellison

Christy Emrah
Steve Enochs
Noel Erickson
Jennifer Evans
Mary Ellen Federenko
Vaughn Fitzgerald
Arlene Fladeland

Bob Florence
Linda Foraker
Linda Foss
Bettie Freel
Judy Freeman
Betty Frink
Barbara Frye

Carla Frye
Joanne Frye
Linnea Furman
Wayne Gallimore
Linda Gay
Shirley Gentry
John George

John Gerovac
Pat Gilson
George Girman
Glynn Glad
Janet Glasgow
Debbie Glegg
Pete Gombos



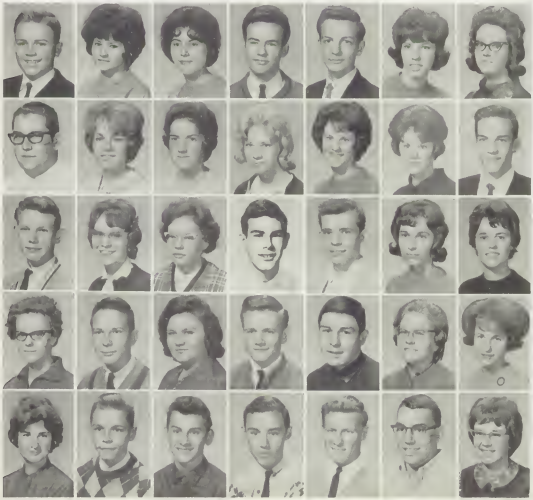
Wanda Goodson
Ron Grenda
Gerry Gruska
Paul Guzis
Jim Halcarz
Barbara Hallum
Jean Hammersmith

Ted Hargrove
Mark Harvey
Diana Havill
Ellen Hawking
Nancy Hawkins
Steve Henderson
Gary Hendricks

Marci Henkhaus
Jerry Herochik
Linda Hess
Priscilla Hess
Diana Hetterscheidt
Drew Hiduke
Jim Hlavaty

Ruth Ann Hopp
Jenny Houchin
Kris Houser
Cynthia Iliff
Linda Inglis
Sue Ingram
Don Irvin

Juniors Complete Another Step Towards Becoming



Gary Ison
Ruth Jackowski
Sondra Jacobs
Don Jamison
Robert Jamison
Judy Jannsen
Robyn Jantz

Ken Jazyk
Judy Jeneske
Linda Johnson
Veda Johnson
Wilma Johnson
Iona Johnstone
Tim Kallok

Greg Kelley
Pat Kendzierski
Lucy Kennedy
Danny Kerr
Jim Kiger
Nancy Kingery
Donna Kiraly

Joan Kleihege
Alan Knierieman
Andrea Knish
Michael Kocon
John Kocur
Linda Kohl
Nancy Kolodziej

Marcia Komar
Joe Korba
John Kosik
John Kostyo
Joe Krucina
Tom Krughoff
Candy Lake

Linda LaSalle
Jill Lassiter
Carol Lee
Larry Lee
Carol Link
Linda Long
Joe Lubarski

Carollyn Luchene
Lynda Lucky
Jim Mancos
Bonnie Mang
Richard Mann
Henry Markowski
Sandy Martin

Bill Matthews
Lynn Mayden
Dan Mays
Frank McCay
Phyllis McCrea
Susan Means
Terry Mears

Dennis Meding
Shirley Meding
Pat Mickey
Jim Mihalic
Jacqueline Mika
Mike Miksich
Harriet Miles

Tomorrow's Craftsmen, Businessmen, and Homemakers

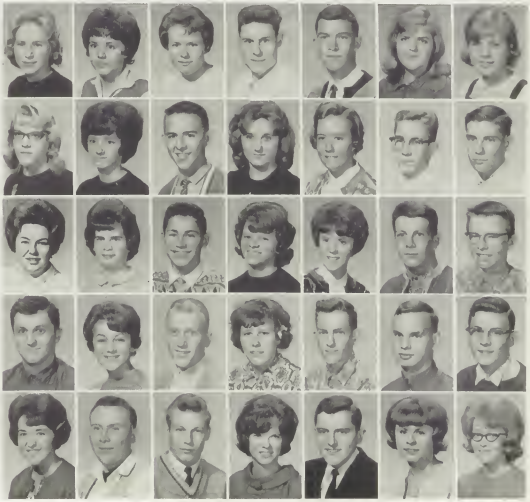
Brenda Miller
Penny Moats
Bonnie Mola
Greg Molnar
Dick Montgomery
Mary Moore
Kathy Mueller

Jill Murchek
Cinda Myres
Allen Nagy
Shirley Neel
Marlene Nelson
Dave Oberle
Larry Odegard

Janis Olsen
Karen Oster
Cecil Palmer
Joanne Palmer
Sandi Parrish
Tom Parrish
Mark Paswinski

Rick Paswinski
Yvonne Pecelin
Tom Perzanowski
Janet Peterson
Ken Pierson
Joe Plumer
Walter Popiela

Margaret Preston
Gerald Prince
Larry Pucalik
Donna Puett
Ron Purdy
Nancy Quinn
Carole Rae



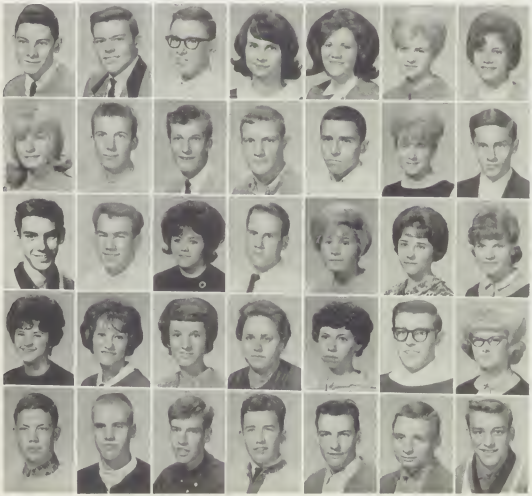
Marcia Randolph
Alice Reichardt
Warren Reinhardt
Susan Relinski
Jack Repay
Cheryl Reynolds
Terry Reynolds

Ralph Rhodes
Tom Rich
Sharon Rivich
Eileen Robinson
Tom Robinson
Dianne Rogus
Paula Rosenau

Jo Rudesill
Debby Ruff
Terry Ruhs
Joseph Rush
Zbig Rybicki
John Ryczrz
Bill Sabo

Jeanne Sankowski
Jeanne Savage
Larry Schmokel
Bill Schoenborn
Sharon Schreiber
Dave Schuman
Paul Scott

Junior Executive Board Organized Class Activities



Rick Scott
Rick Segraves
Jim Shabi
Nancy Shadoan
Sharon Shanley
Carol Shanta
Charleen Shanta

Barbara Sharpe
Jack Shellne
Russ Shepard
Jim Sherer
Don Sickles
Sharon Sickles
Al Sikich

Jim Silaghi
Jim Siple
Bev Smith
Tom Smith
Maureen Smolen
Pat Sopo
Janet Spencer

Karen Spies
Nancy Spudic
Kathy Summerlot
Rosemary Stahl
Kay Stanton
Doug Starewicz
Judith Stewart

Larry Stout
Larry Strayer
Rich Struhs
Mike Stuckey
Terry Sullivan
Tim Sumner
Robert Szczepanski

JR. EXECUTIVE BOARD members are — FRONT ROW: T. Petzanowski, G. Glad, B. Zimmerman, J. Tomsic, R. Berg. BACK ROW: F. McKay, P. Scott, J. Bucko, L. Furman, M. Cunningham, J. Jeneske, W. Johnson, C. Rae, L. Inglis, and class officers K. Teegarden, D. Ward, G. Bewley.

Gary Taggart
Pam Talmadge
Susan Tate
Brad Taylor
Kathy Teegarden

Mike Teeling
Kristine Tenkely
Diane Thatcher
Doris Thielen
Beverly Thomas
Charles Thompson
Diane Thompson

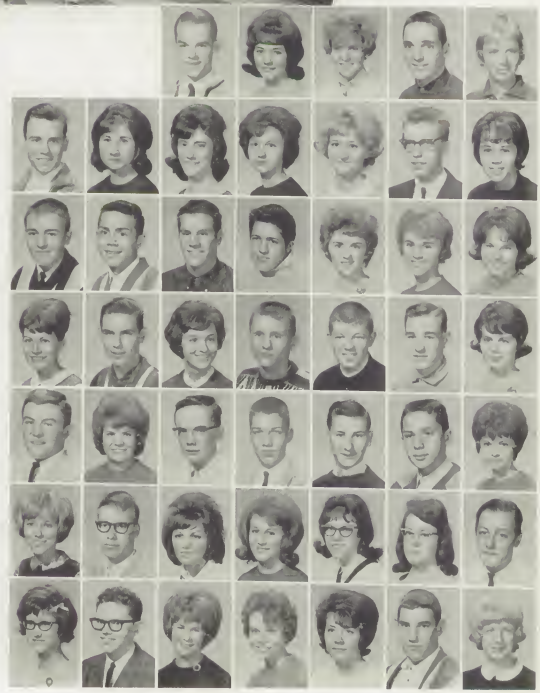
John Thompson
Glen Tiller
Jim Tomsic
Tom Toomey
Christine Toth
Nancy Toth
Pamela Townsend

Doris Travis
Ron Turner
Jill Virag
Richard Volbrecht
James Wagner
Warren Walle
Jane Walsh

Don Ward
Mary Lynn Waters
Elmer Watson
Louis Weber
James Wells
Richard Welsh
Bonnie Wheatman

Barbara White
John White
Linda White
Loretta Wiechecki
Cindy Williams
Pat Williams
Richard Winders

Laurie Wing
John Wiseman
Gayle Ywanow
Janice Zea
Linda Zellers
Bob Zimmerman
Marcel Ziotnik



SOPHOMORE OFFICERS are Pres. Tom Kerr, Sec. Bev. Sheaks, and Vice-Pres. Donna Nelson.

Sophomore Class Officers Guide Student Activities

As this year's sophomores grew accustomed to their new stations in life, they also became aware of Morton and its many opportunities in each field — academics, sports, friendship, and social activities. Sports events became more important to each member of the class as sophomores entered the ranks of varsity athletes. Social life and companionship, too, became more important to each sophomore as he attended dances such as the Inaugural Ball and the Winter Formal. School work grew harder and more time-consuming, but there was always time for relaxation.

MORTON STUDENTS buy and wear mums for both Sectional and Homecoming games. Sophomores Donna Nelson and Kathy Creekmore try on theirs after the pep rally preceding basketball Sectionals.

Charles Adams
Mark Agnini
Lynda Aker
Terry Anderson
Kathy Argadine
Emily Austin
Nancy Baasse

Chester Bailor
Roberta Balka
Ilene Balog
Michael Barta
Andrea Batsel
Paul Bauck
Charles Bell

Brian Bement
Don Benton
Dennis Berard
Adele Bernacki
Dorothy Bienko
Chris Biewenga
David Biro

Michael Black
Larry Bogner
Kathy Borsits
Carol Bowersox
Bill Bowley
Jim Bowley
Lenore Brandenburg

Sophs Achieve Academic Excellence and Social Stability

Tom Brouillette
Jim Brownewell
Fred Bruner
William Bucko
Ilona Bujaki
Nancy Butoryak
Theresa Castro

Nancy Chamberlain
Darrell Chaney
Susan Charette
Barbara Chess
Linda Chigas
James Clapp
Dale Coapstick

Penny Cole
David Coppage
John Cornelison
Linda Cotterell
Linda Crawford
Cookie Creekmore
Teresa Davis

Dennis Dawson
Pam Detvay
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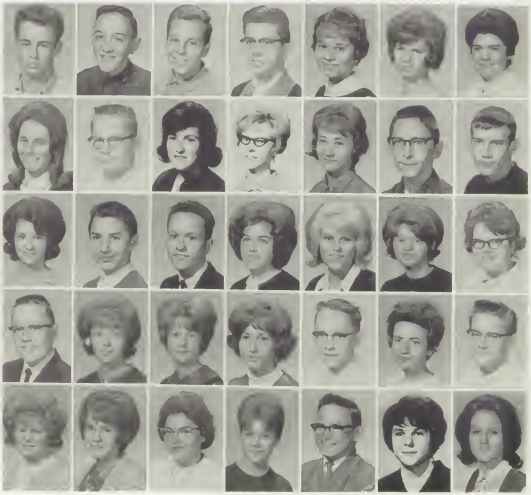

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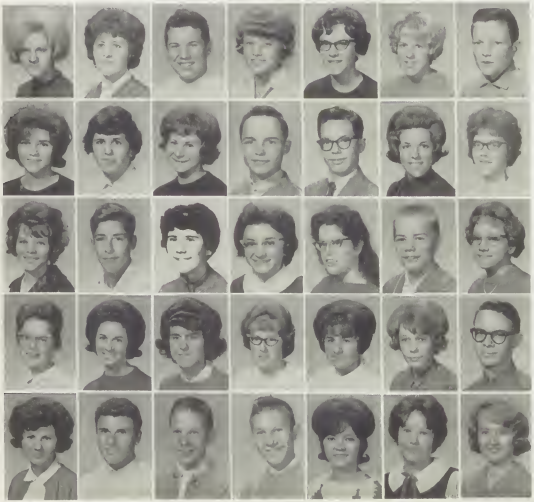
Academic, Sport, and Social Opportunities Surround



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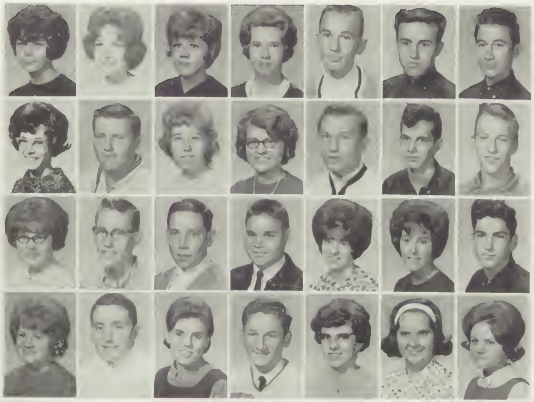

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Patricia Pierson
Tim Pierson

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Carol Popiela
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Sophomores in Their Second Year of High School

Mona Reid
Debbie Reynolds
Barbara Rhea
Rodney Rich
Melinda Rodgers
Janice Rosenberry
Bob Russell

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Nancy Scepkowski
Morton Schlesinger
Beverly Schultz
Rick Schwartz
Ronald Segally
Stella Seno

James Severa
Cindy Shafer
Barb Sharpe
Bev Sheaks
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Cecelia Sherer
Len Sherwinski

Ray Skamay
Karen Sklanka
Lex Smith
Ruth Ann Smith
Catie Stanley
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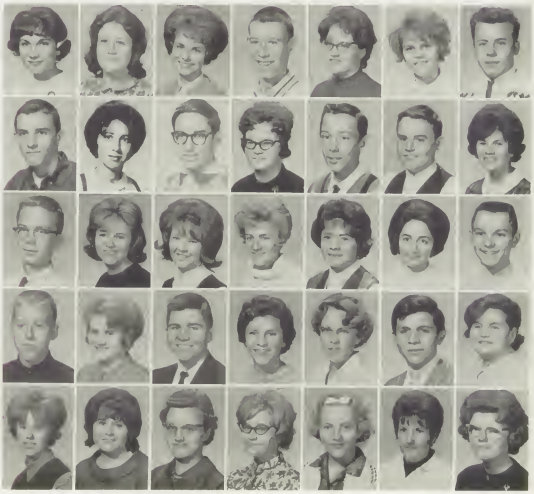

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Richard Ward

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Ruth Wells
Jerry White
Linda Wieneke
Pam Wiggins
Lois Williams
Ted Williams

Linda Wojcik
Tim Wolf
Phillip Wozniak
Marilyn Yeoman
Dennis Yuhasz
Karen Zackiewicz
Janet Zgunda

New Ailment, 'Beatlemania,' Spreads Through School

THE BEATLES may not be Mr. Moll's favorites, but he does show his disapproval of students looking at Beatle magazines during study hall. Absorbed in the book are sophs Mary Mosko, Linda Munro, Sue Dietrich, Sharon Knaver, and Mel Ignazito.

Freshmen Voters Become Good Citizens of Tomorrow

FRESHMAN OFFICERS are President Mort Schlesinger, Secretary Diane Burke, Vice-President David Mustoe.

This year's freshman class had many exciting things to do. Besides meeting new friends, as freshmen they had study halls and gym classes every day for the first time. Locker combinations were confusing and troublesome to new students. As 9B's and 9A's they had fewer subjects than in junior high but a much tougher schedule to maintain.

In September freshmen were introduced to Morton's facilities when they took part in the "Big-Brother, Big-Sister Program" sponsored by the Morton Student Association.

FRESHMEN have the privilege and the obligation to vote for their class officers and senators for the first time. Hazel Witte, Jack Martain, Terry Rhodes, Lois Hopp, Paul Guiden, and Cheryl Pickette take advantage of this opportunity.

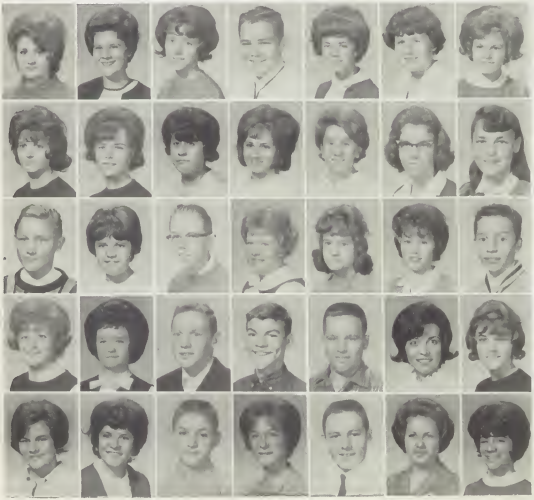
Janice Agnini
Eva Maria Aksentijevic
Kathy Ally
Garold Anderson
Jean Anderson
Sandra Armstrong
Margaret Astolas

Lynn Bagley
Betty Bakker
Bonnie Bakker
Greg Banka
James Bardoczi
Pamela Barnett
Jerry Bartlett

Carol Basso
Kenneth Bastasich
Rick Bates
Susan Becker
Linda Bell
Penny Benkovich
Tom Bergs

Sherry Bewley
Terry Bewley
Sheila Bigler
Ken Biro
Diane Bjorklund
Laura Bjorklund
Marsha Blackman

Members of Freshman Class Enter High School With



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Maurine Burkland
Barbara Burton

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Joyce Carter
Vince Catania

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Sue Chalkus
Tony Charette
Don Chesney
David Christmann
Diane Christy
Marcia Clark

Joyce Clauson
Lola Comforti
John Constant
Terry Cooke
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Mary Lou Czarnecki
Diana Daun

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Ava Flick
Kenneth Foss
Allen Frankovich

Shirley Fredericks
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Jimmy Casaway
Lee Gasparino
Jo Ann Gearman
Thomas George
Tom George

Jim Gerovac
Roland Gincauskas
Gerry Girman
Roberta Gomez
Dorothy Goodson
Harold Goodwin
Laurie Gregar

Many Expectations and Plans for the Future

Warren Griggs
Charles Guzis
Betsy Harris
Charles Hedinger
Frank Hendron
Paul Hensley
Sharon Hicks

Pat Hlavaty
Joe Hooper
Lois Hopp
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Mike Jackson
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Ardis Kaufman
Jack Keilman
Jerry Kelly
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Paulette Kennard

Walt Knish
Helen Kohler
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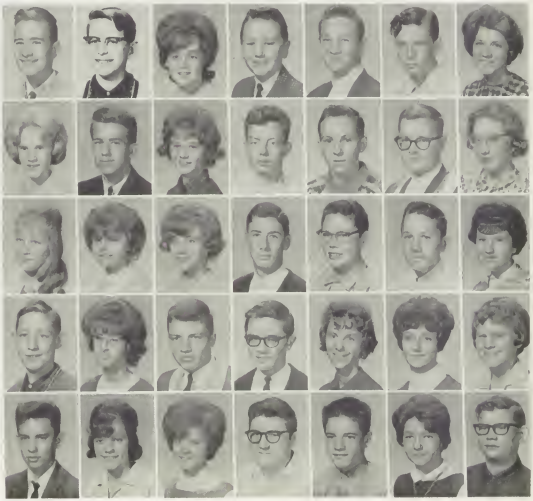

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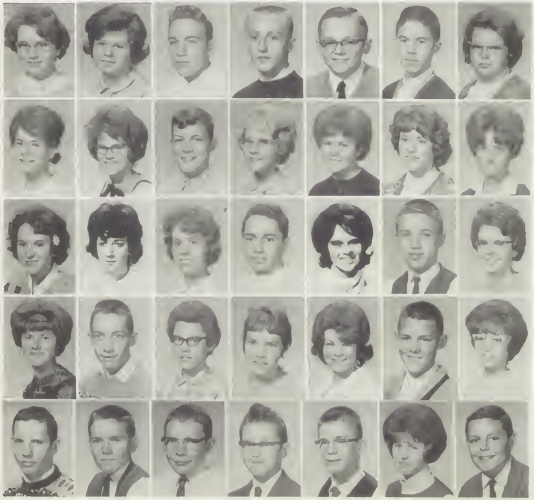
Freshmen Students Discover Lockers Difficult



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Norma Reitz
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Mary Russell

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Lynn Schwartz
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Larry Tucker
Barbara Tussey
Mark VanAtta

Mary Beth Vandenbemden
Kathy Vlahos
Sharon Walkenhorst
Elaine Walkowiak
Thomas Watson
Jean Weber
Ida Wells

Joyce Wells
Anna Whitaker
Jerry White
Ken White
Wesley White
Warren Wieneke
Dale Williams

To Open, Even More Difficult To Keep Clean

Don Williams
Kenneth Williams
Linda Williams

Jerry Winders
Becky Wing
Garry Wiseman
Hazel Witte
Betty Woerner
Donna Wright
Valarie Wright

"SPRING CLEANING" is a common chore for freshmen. Here several discover the unfathomable amounts of "junk" in one locker.

Principal Becker Begins Blueprints for New School

Mr. W. Winston Becker, principal of Morton, supervises an efficient administrative staff. The job of principal can be compared to public relations work if one considers Mr. Becker's daily duties. He must approve student activities and supervise all actions of the school. This year he is also busy attending numerous administrative meetings with the new superintendent.

Our principal spends many hours co-ordinating plans and blueprints for the new Morton School. He has also instituted a split lunch-hour system to ease pressure on the over-crowded cafeteria and study halls. He also reports ideas and issues brought up at school board meetings.

MORTON'S PRINCIPAL, Mr. W. Winston Becker, spend a great part of his day approving papers and communications at his desk.

As a team Charles B. Chidester and William A. Volk, administrative assistants, work together in assisting Mr. Becker in school management.

As a counselor for Morton students, Mr. Chidester has charge of the activity program and the master teacher's schedule. Mr. Chidester received his B.A. from Yale University and his M.A. from the University of Kentucky.

In charge of discipline, Mr. Volk aids Mr. Chidester in the guidance program and group testing. Mr. Volk received his B.S. degree from Valparaiso University and his M.A. from the University of Chicago.

ASSISTANTS TO THE PRINCIPAL, Mr. William Volk and Mr. Charles B. Chidester, aid Mr. Becker in school administration. They also share in giving guidance and tests.

SUPERINTENDENT of the Schools Joseph L. Hendrick, discusses issues with his two assistants, Mr. M. H. Thorsen, and Dr. O. L. Rapp.

Superintendent and School Board Set School Policy

During his first year as Superintendent of the Hammond Public School System, Dr. Joseph L. Hendrick, along with his two assistants, Mr. M. H. Thorsen and Dr. O. L. Rapp, has encouraged the continued progress of Hammond Schools, and has provided the necessary leadership for the school administrators in the city.

Dr. Hendrick, formerly Superintendent of Schools at Ossining, New York, stated he will "not be satisfied unless the Hammond Public Schools are the finest in the country." He has already introduced the use of an IBM computer system to expedite student program scheduling in all city high schools.

Among its various duties, the school board approves the plans for the new Morton School, appropriates funds for the school budget, and passes bills concerning the welfare of the school city. A new school board was elected this fall, but will take office next year.

A familiar figure in the downtown office, business manager Donald Gavit, plans to retire this year after 28 years of service.

PRESENT SCHOOL BOARD members are Mrs. T. Allen, Dr. H. Eggers, Mr. L. Bereolas, Mrs. L. Stern, and Mr. C. Scott.

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Summer Jobs, Vacations, and Outside Activities

MISS MARJORIE GROVES
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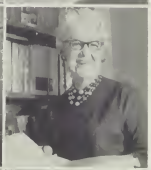


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Foreign Language Department; A.B., Franklin College; Sponsor — Spanish Club, Cheerleaders.

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Home Economics Department Head; B.S., Northwest Missouri State College; Sponsor — Girls' Club.

Faculty Enjoys Teaching, Working with Students

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MISS BARBARA MILLER
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MR. HANS MOLL
Math Department; B.A., Valparaiso University; M.S., Indiana University.

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Teachers Get Welcome Respite With Midday Meal

Across the hall from the cafeteria is the teachers' lunchroom. Unlike the students, the teachers have a full hour for lunch in which they can discuss student problems and teaching methods. Here the teachers are able to take time out from an often exhausting schedule for lunch and conversation. Since this small room is also used as a classroom, the teachers must "evacuate" after sixth hour. Nevertheless, the teachers' cafeteria is still the faculty's "refuge" from the vigorous, energetic student body.

ENJOYING THEIR LUNCH are several members of Morton's faculty. At noontime a variety of tempting lunches await teachers as well as students.

MR. WALTER P. RUFF
Foreign Language Department Head; B.A., University of Illinois; M.A., Indiana University.

MR. GERALD SPITZER
Science Department; B.A., Indiana Central College; Sponsor — Junior Class.

MR. BOB A. SPRY
Science Department; B.A. Hanover College; Sponsor — Biology Club.

MRS. NANCY SQUIBB
Guidance, Math Departments: B.A., M.A., Indiana University; Sponsor — Jr. Y-Teens.

MRS. ELIZABETH T. STIER
Home Economics Department; B.S., Knox College; Sponsor — Sr. Home Ec. Club.

MRS. HELEN STOCK
English Department; B.S., Northwestern University; Sponsor — TOP HAT, MORTONITE, Quill and Scroll.

Travel and Reading Rate High on List of Hobbies

MR. HOWARD E. STOUT
Social Studies Department; B.S., Ball State Teachers College; M.S., Indiana University; Coach — Basketball.

MISS MAY VIRDEN
English Department; B.A., Cornell College.

MISS JANET WALCOTT
Business Department; B.S., Ball State Teachers College; Sponsor — TOP HAT Business.

MR. ANTHONY P. WARING
Art Department; B.F.A., M.F.A., School of the Chicago Art Institute; Sponsor — Art Club.

MR. ROBERT C. WELTE
Business Department; B.S., Manchester College; M.A., Ball State Teachers College; Sponsor — Booster Club.

MISS LOUISE WILLIAMS
Social Studies Department; B.S., Southeast Missouri State College; Sponsor — F.T.A.

MISS KAREN WOLFE
Business Department; B.S., Indiana State College; Sponsor — Booster Club.

MR. DONALD P. WOOLLS
Business Department; B.S., M.S., Indiana University; Sponsor — Booster Club.

MR. MAUREY ZLOTNIK
Athletic Department Head; B.S., Indiana State Teachers College; Coach — Varsity Football.

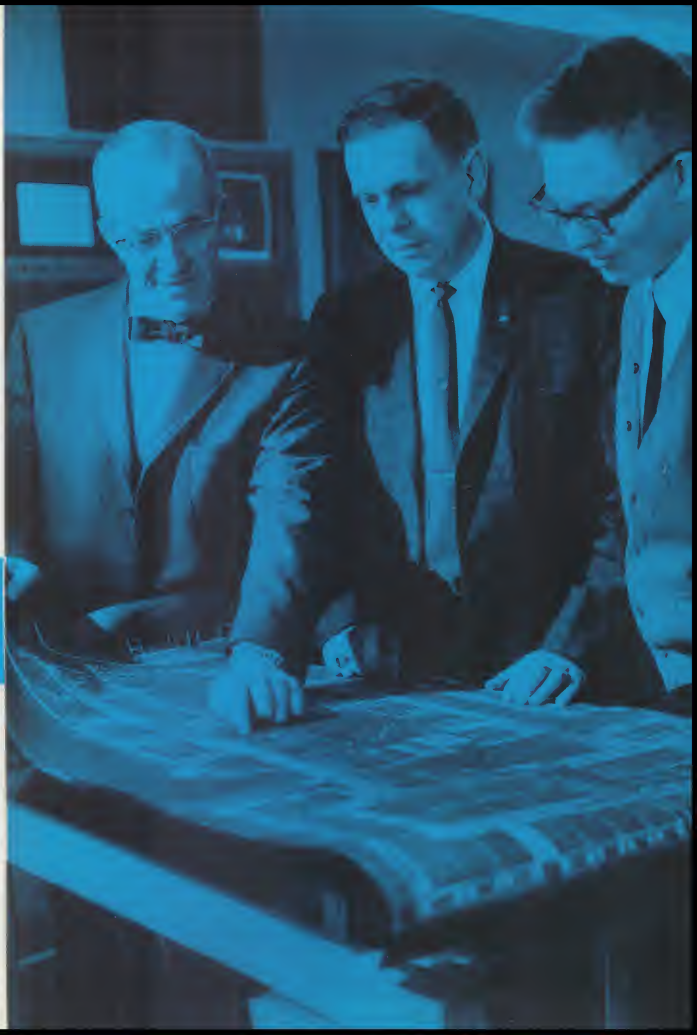
MORTON'S OFFICE STAFF Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Stryzinski, and Mrs. Fink have the job of keeping the school running smoothly.

Office and Cafeteria Staffs Meet Student Needs

Efficient office workers maintain and control the school office. They forward important office calls to Mr. Becker and supervise intra-school communication. Tardiness slips and reports of delinquency from classes are also checked in the office. Mrs. Reynolds, overseer of the bookstore, sees that all funds are handled promptly and properly.

The six cafeteria workers are kept busy by the Governors' appetites. Well-balanced meals are served twice during each of 4th, 5th, and 6th hours on the new split lunch hour program. The cafeteria is self-sufficient except for the food received from the government. The posted prices give the buyer a chance to see what's cookin'.

CAFETERIA STAFF MEMBERS Mrs. M. Shadoan, Mrs. A. Konyu, Mrs. L. Garson, Mrs. B. Johnson, Mrs. E. Warkentien, and Mrs. H. Shock take responsibility in preparing hot noon-time meals for the hundreds of hungry Morton students.



ADVERTISING

As 1964 drew to a close, the Governors looked forward with aniticipation to a "new" school. Blueprints were being drawn up for a new Morton High; this year's juniors expect to be the last class to graduate from the old building. The seniors, however, have already "sold" the old school to the junior high, who will occupy Morton after the high school is moved. The seniors found that ads save time and trouble when one wants to find information quickly or sell something to the Governors. Governors use and appreciate the ads in the Top Hat. Their interest in good communication helps make Morton what it is—the Governors' Mansion.

BEST WISHES TO THE

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Skeeter Thompson and Greg Smith

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Get the coat that goes with anything!

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The Booster Club cheers the B-Team.

BOOSTER CLUB

The Cheering Block at Morton's Victory over Hammond High.

Morton's Booster Club

- Sponsors bus trips for out-of-town games.
- Sells booster tags to support spring sports.
- Maintains concession stands at football games.
- Holds pep sessions and organizes cheering blocks at home games.

Morton's Booster Block in action.


Bodie's DOG "SKIPPER"
IN THIS DAY AND AGE
YOU JUST NEED A HIGH
SCHOOL DIPLOMA.
AND I HAVE MINE
AND A-GOOD
Bodie PHOTOGRAPH
ALSO.

In Memoriam

John Fitzgerald Kennedy
1917-1963

"If we are strong, our strength will speak for itself — if we are weak, words will be of no help."

— John F. Kennedy
The Undelivered Speech at Dallas

November 22, 1963

About the 1964 Top Hat

Dear Governors,

A yearbook is a memory book, and this Top Hat is filled with memories for the staff—memories of such things as the confusion on picture taking day, the many times we spilled the rubber cement, and the many, many times headlines just wouldn't fit. We will remember leaving layouts at home, trying to index the entire book in one day, cropping the pix that never would fit the layout, searching for pica rulers, fighting for pica rulers, and the horrible time we had only one cardboard ruler to our name. We will remember losing grease pencils, not understanding the slide rule, and not understanding both Mrs. Stock and printer Mr. Larry Wells. We'll remember the pictures lost in the photo lab, the pictures lost in the Top Hat room, the editor's basket on deadline day, how we produced 90 pages in two weeks, and our worries about delivery.

Yes, there are many things to remember about this year's Top Hat, but what will stand out most in our memory is the joy and pride we feel in having been allowed to create a yearbook for Morton's students. We hope you, too, will remember this book.

Sincerely yours,

Kris Houser

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